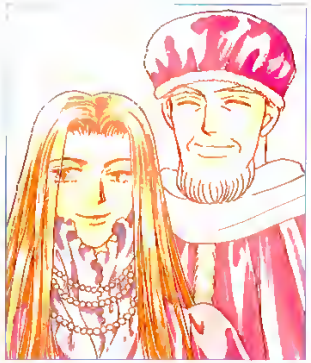

● I've been on private travel (not guided tours) to Germany several times, but I still haven't been to see the major tourist attraction "Neuschwanstein Castle" yet. Instead, I went to some of the minor cities, such as Trier. I'll never forget the thrill of walking through the dark, dank underground passages at Kaiserthermen. I drew on that experience when writing volume 4.

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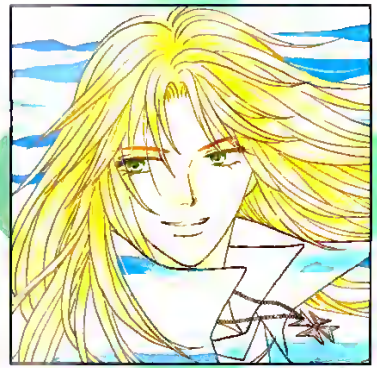

ICHIRACI Comics

The splended and rivetting tale of the Malta Knight Brigade. The story's heating up in Volume 4!! The matter of Lucas leaving the group as come up suddenly?! And on secret information from Lucas's family, Aciel sets out amidst waves of friction on a journey to Germany. Don't miss the extras, "Malta Island - The Night Watchmen's Diaries" and "Malta Travel Journal"!

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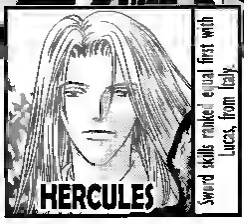
UMI NO KISHIDAN
SEA OF KNIGHTHOOD

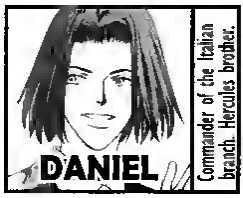
☆ For more details on the story, please read volumes (1) and (2) !

LUCAS
Skilled at medicine, likes dissections? 18 years old, from Germany.
ACIEL
Female Knight of St John. Currently interested in killing enemies, 18 years old. Born in Provence, France
CAP. JUAN
AUGUSTINE
SABAI



HERCULES

Sword skills ranked equal first with Lucas, from Italy



DANIEL

Commander of the Italian branch. Hercules brother.

STORY

Halfway through the 16th century, the Knights of St John used Malta Island, with its centre position in the Mediterranean Sea, as defence against Ottoman Turkey and as a marine defence line to protect Christianity, controlling the fate of all Europe. For the first time since the establishment of the Knights of St John, they have accepted a female Knight, Aciel. Even the elder Knights who were fully opposing her acceptance have been overcome by Aciel's sword skills and spirit as a Knight, and now joyfully welcome her into the Knights. Moreover, as Aciel was appointed by the leader of the Knights as the commander of the 9th branch, which is the crux of the 8 branches, she needs to collect Knights from all of the different branches to complete this new branch. Aciel has been given a mission to capture the spy who has infiltrated the Knights. In one glance, she identified the spy as Enrique de Marcus, the vice-commander of the Leon of Castile branch who is participating in the test to join the 9th branch.

Travel Journal - Malta ①

I found an unbelievably cheap guided tour vacation package to Malta at XYZ Tourist Agency!

the timing was also really convenient so we ended up deciding to go

XYZ europe

I'd really like to go the island of Malta at least once.

My friend Hashiba-san said something like that and

I heard their food is really delicious...

I don't really remember anymore how it came about that I decided to go there, but Probably...

Just once!

I'm writing a story about the Malta Knights but I actually have been to the place where it's set the country of Malta only once.

Couple Couple Couple A bunch of cheap-sake old women Travelers Hashiba and Togawa Office Lady Traveler Old Woman Traveler Old Man Traveler A Travel Otaku The Tour Guide

The members of our tour group in Malta were as you see to the left...

It's really rare among mangaka's but we usually participate in guided group tours. (The reason why is because we don't speak any English at all.)

Anyways, since the four already started we had no choice but to go along

Yeah.

We're the most normal people here

A suspicious Otaku who seems to be keeping his objectives to himself

She, I obviously want-teal to come to Malta.

Me, I heard there are a lot of cats here

I'm a fan of Dashiell Hammett's novel "The Maltese Falcon"

THE CAREFREE GROUP

We rode camels in Tunisia!

I went to Samarkand *

I went to Sri Lanka the other day.

This group tour with XYZ Tourist Agency was my first, but most of the group seemed to be huge travel fanatics. (Maybe because the destination was Malta Island?)

*TN: In Uzbekistan.

Knights that still exists in the modern day.

On Conti Street

That reminds me, the headquarters should be in Rome.

The Saint John Knights

At the same time, *Shura no Fio was also approaching a scenic spot

Malta is famous for its many historic ruins and the Saint John Knights

Your tour guide (she)

The landscape of Malta, as seen from the air

On the second day we finally reached Malta

But there wasn't any time for sight seeing.

Because it was a connecting tour we spent the first night in Rome.

I'll show you sights tomorrow!

*Shura no Fiorentina another series of Togawa sensei

Run♥

No candy is a famous product of Malta

Let's collect data!! (by going on another trip)

TOGAWA WAS STARVING FOR NEW MATERIAL.

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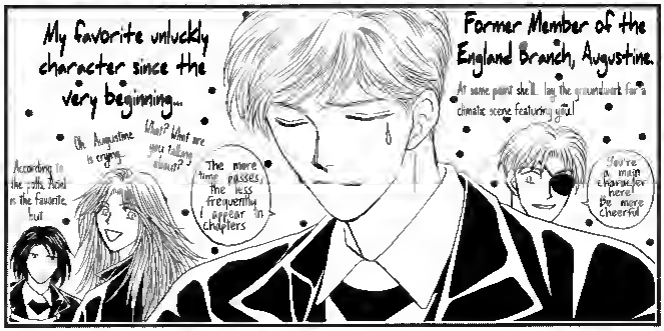
Who is your "favorite unlucky character"?


My favorite unluckly character since the very beginning...
Former Member of the England Branch, Augustine.
At some point she'll lay the groundwork for a climatic scene featuring you!
Oh. Augustine is crying.
What? What are you talking about?
According to the polls, Reiji is the favorite, but
The more time passes, the less frequently I appear in chapters
You're a main character here! Be more cheerful

Phew!
What a great heart!
It must belong to a person who exercised quite often.
Uwah, Thomas!!
SPA
THUMP
What a shame.
If he didn't drown, then he'd have probably been able to live until 80 years old!
After this we have to remove the internal organs one by one!
Please look carefully!
Lucas senpai, Thomas is...!!
Thomas, oi! Are you okay?!
FAINT
He can't. Stand it anymore...
Because of what you just said, he fainted.
They're really interesting! Intestines are even longer than the person's height!
After we finish, Thomas can feel all the internal organs!♡

E_N His name is Thomas, and fears the blood? XD such a coincidence

I learnt my medical knowledge from people at the monasteries.
I passionately researched on living things' bodily structures and how to help people obtain longer lives.
Then my father told me...
If you like medical science that much, then why don't you go to island of Malta?
Go join St. John!
But Dear
Island of Malta?
They have the best medical institute there
I had...
Ever since I was conscious I had always been dissecting frogs or fish.
But Lucas..
please obey one condition

After 5 years when you reach the age of 20, you have to return to Germany
Because you are my only offspring
I should start thinking about it seriously now...
I've only got two years left
Swab the deck!
Ready?!
scene. 10
Lucas' family businesses
Oh no
I completely forgot..
Hm?
I think that's what father said
I accepted the offer when I was only 15 years old
Because I was overjoyed by the fact that I could learn more knowledge in medicine

GO!!
...Ariel is obsessed with this ship!
The Branch Commander doesn't have to do that sort of work...!
Ariel!
Somehow it feels like...
I'll swab the deck as well...
Seems like Ariel will be a good sailor!
I heard that if you love a ship then you're destined be a good sailor!
That's right, Ariel!
Have you thought of a name for the ship yet?
Captain Juan..

Spanish sounds much better!
A common phrase for the British nobles.
The usually Keen Ciel will hesitate too!
How rare!
Say,
How's about "El Sol"? Meaning "The Sun".
Sounds pleasing, I think.
I thought of "Noblesse Oblige".
I'm still working on that.
I thought of a lot but I haven't decided on which one to use yet.
Ah!
Hey!
What are you discussing here?
Lucas! Sabal! Is the class on dissection finished?
Ah, Aciel.
No Branch Commander. I have things to discuss with you.
I am.
..planning to return home.

Returning home?
Did something happened back home?
Lucas sempai!
Has he finally broken down under Acid's pranks?
What's wrong, Lucas?
That means I have one less rival to compete with.
I'm despicable!
Ah!
Do you want to retire from St. John?
!!
STARES
Sorry for the troubles caused.
I'm leaving tomorrow
Anyway
Don't guess on your own
No
It's because I don't want to quit St. John, that's why I need to return

Lucas...

...plans to...

...leave St. John?

Maybe?

Then,
Using the Malta cross as an example, we'll turn into this situation?
SMACK!
OUCH!
WHY, WHY, WHY... WHY DID YOU HIT THE CUSTOMER?
It's your fault for calling out another person's name on my bed.
Besides, Aciel is a male, right?
You're despicable, Hercules
Ah, ah! Dammit!
I was finally able to get on top of her!
You stupid woman!
You... you really are despicable
It's my first time having that dream!
That's a filthy dream!
Ah... Aciel...

...
Didn't you say you were leaving tomorrow Lucas?
It's only dawn right now!
Is always so accurate?
How come her instinct
Hey!
If you leave St. John, I'll feel a little distracted
As the 9th Branch's commander,
Take me to Germany as well.

Alright. I wanted you to understand my family's businesses too.
Hm...
Lucas' family businesses?
Let's go
I got a ship waiting for us at the port.
Ariel and Lucas?
Left for a trip together?!
STEP
STEP
Alright.

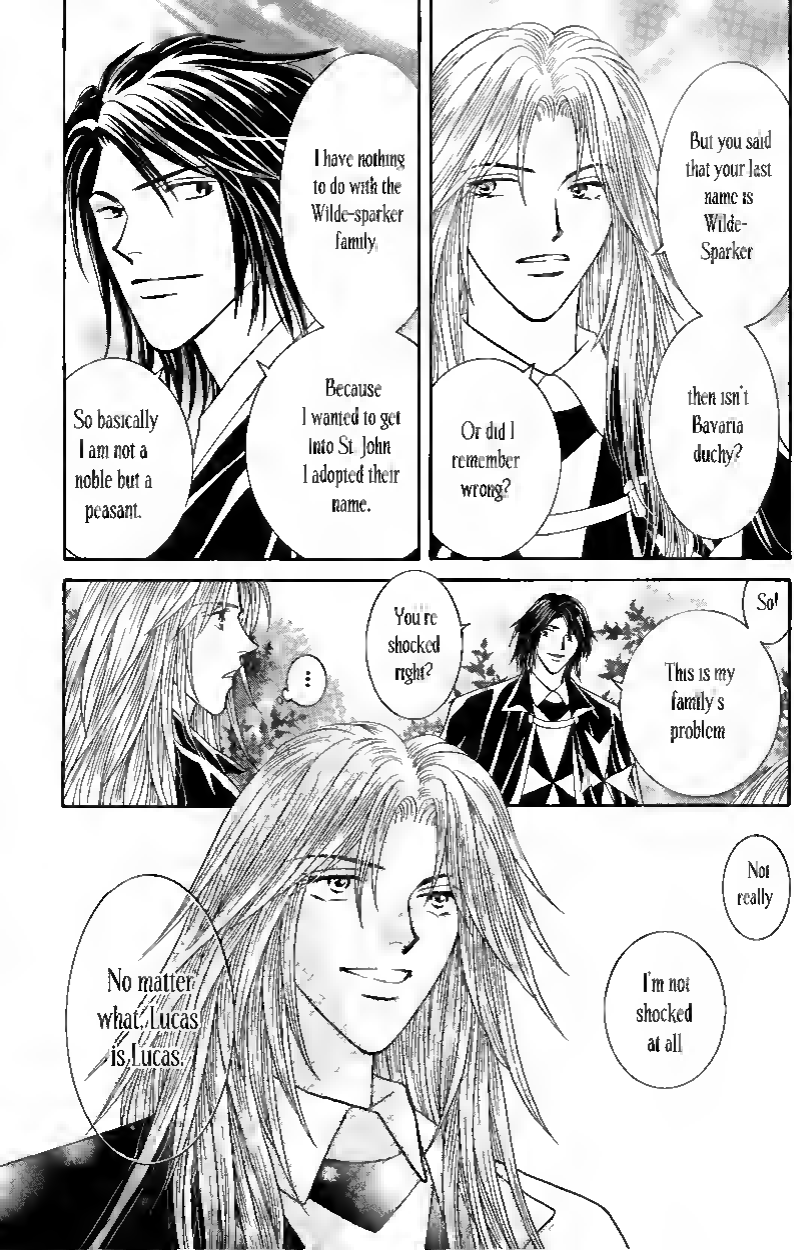
Lucas might plan to leave St John That will be shocking news!
Me too
Say I was a bit worried too
Hm? Lucas is leaving St John?
I did plan on going with them but...
Why?! How?! When?! How come I've never heard about it?!!!
That's because you were gone from noon yesterday until this morning
Augustan seems to be such a thing with a calm face
Even if Lucas left there will still be me!
that's impossible
Don't decide things by yourself!
FILTHY MAN, DID IT FOR THE WHOLE DAY
You were with the courtesans right?
Serves you right, Hercules
Aciel belongs to everyone!
That's right!
But it's still a meaningless fight
Augustan's gotten brave!
This way, I can have Aciel!
Great!
So what! Once in a while is fine!
Shipping
...from Malta to Sicily, then a long travel to Genoa.
The Alps
Milan
Genoa
Sicily
The island of Malta

Hm?
Although I might be a burden to you.
After riding pass Milan and the Alps, we'll be on Germany's territory.
We're on horseback as soon as we reach Genoa.
How exciting!
Travel-ling!

Cleaner Note: the difference in the background here is something that came in the manga, not a mistake of ours :P

Like the radience of life.
Every strand of her hair glitters.
Ariel's hair danced with the wind
Syncing with the horses' steps.
Yeah.
Travel-ling is good
You can see a lot of beauti-ful things
Yeah.
?
Because my hometown is not in Bavaria!
No we're heading towards St. Ghottard pass
If we're heading for Bavaria we have to pass the Bonnesia road right?
We're heading towards the wrong way Lucas
Uh?
S.Gottardo

Note. Saint Ghottard Pass is a high mountain pass that links Italian Alps to Switzerland and Germany Bavaria is a region of Germany that's in its south east.


But you said that your last name is Wilde-Sparker
then isn't Bavaria duchy?
Or did I remember wrong?
I have nothing to do with the Wilde-sparker family.
Because I wanted to get into St. John I adopted their name.
So basically I am not a noble but a peasant.
So!
This is my family's problem
You're shocked right?
...
Not really
I'm not shocked at all
No matter what, Lucas is Lucas.

Team Zica Credits. ***Meowpudding*** translated Thanks for your great work!

CONFUSED
I'm really thankful for your thoughtfulness and great imagination...
No...
But I don't think that's going to happen...
HAPPY!!
If our destination is something like...
a village camping under a bridge I won't be surprised
Maybe I can stay for a night!
Returning after 3 years
...my heart is filled with nostalgia
Past
The Alps,
walking through the Black Forest...
The city on the banks of the Moselle River...
The city of the Holy Roman Empire,
Trier

In the city, there are still some remaining objects from the Rome Empire I'll explain to you in detail
Like Public baths and things
This black gate was built at the time of the 2nd century. It is this city's land sign
Awe-some...
What a great city gate. It's pitch black
Oh this?
I really want to see your mother!
The person who gave you the ring!
Huh?
Aren't you always wearing it?
I can finally see the former owner of "That" Ring.
I'm so excited.

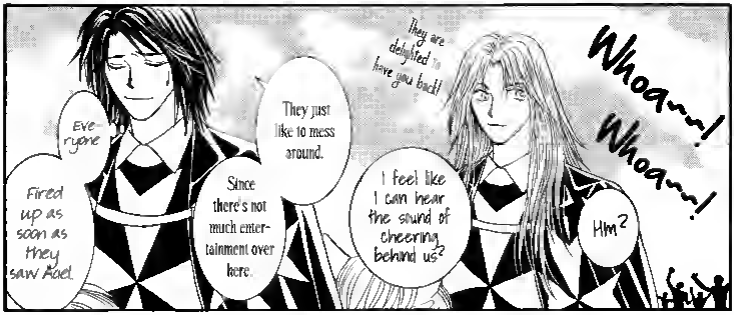
Note: Oedipus Complex is a psychological theory where sons are supposedly in love with their mothers when they are around 3 to 6 years old that should disappear later as the personality develops

So basically, all she sees in me,
Is a man with an Oedipus complex?
SHOCK
She doesn't understand me in person at all!
Then I can't misbehave as well!
If she is the most important woman to you
Oi
Aciel. I think you're misunderstanding things...
Take it as I beg you. don't carry things too far!
You wear it every day don't you?
WHA?
I know clearly how important you mother means to you.
So don't be shy! I'm not teasing you!
oi... Aciel... THAT TYPE OF LOGIC...
DEAR A RIVER, RIGHT?
And under a bridge.
Extremely calm while behaving rudely
DON'T WORRY!
Don't walk in front of me!
You don't even know where my house is!
OI ACIEL!
Sir Lucas!!
Ah! He is..!
Oi..!

How are you all?
Has everything been fine so far?
I believe your father will be delighted sir...!
Did you return for a family gathering?
Sir Lucas, St. John's uniform really matches you!
He has grown up well!
Whoa! It really is!
I will be staying here for a while
Those who are not feeling well, please feel free to come visit me.
Not an underbridge resident?
Hm?
Lucas seems pretty famous
I'll get him to check up my mother too!
I'm so relieved! My back has been so sore recently!
His medical knowledge must have been widely expanded!
The man dubbed as 'The Genius' is back.
I'll bring sausages!
I will bring my homemade beer over soon!
Thank you so much sir!

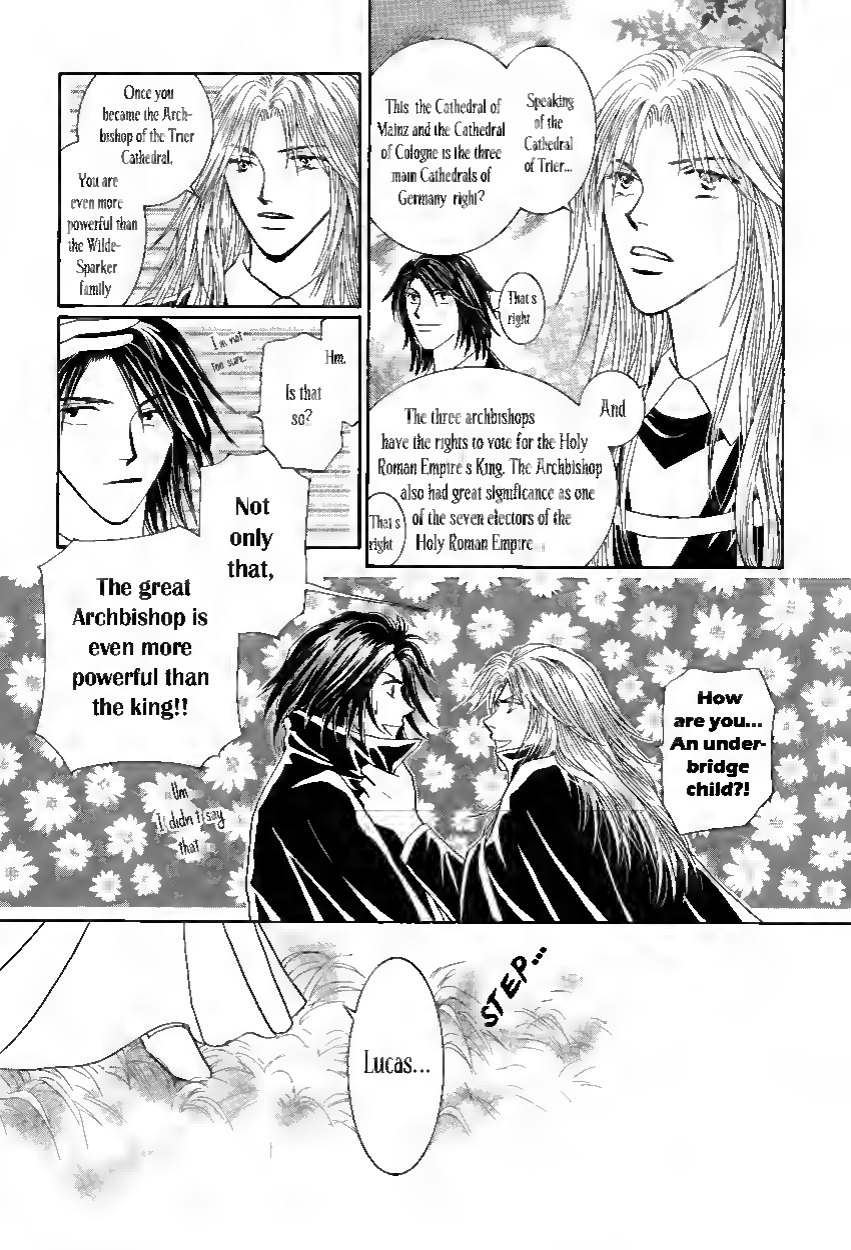
Because Lucas is The Son of God!
Healing and curing everyone without prejudice...
He is Trier's treasure!
Ah... that's right!
Oh yeah..
Did you guys see...
The person that came with Sir Lucas?
GLUP

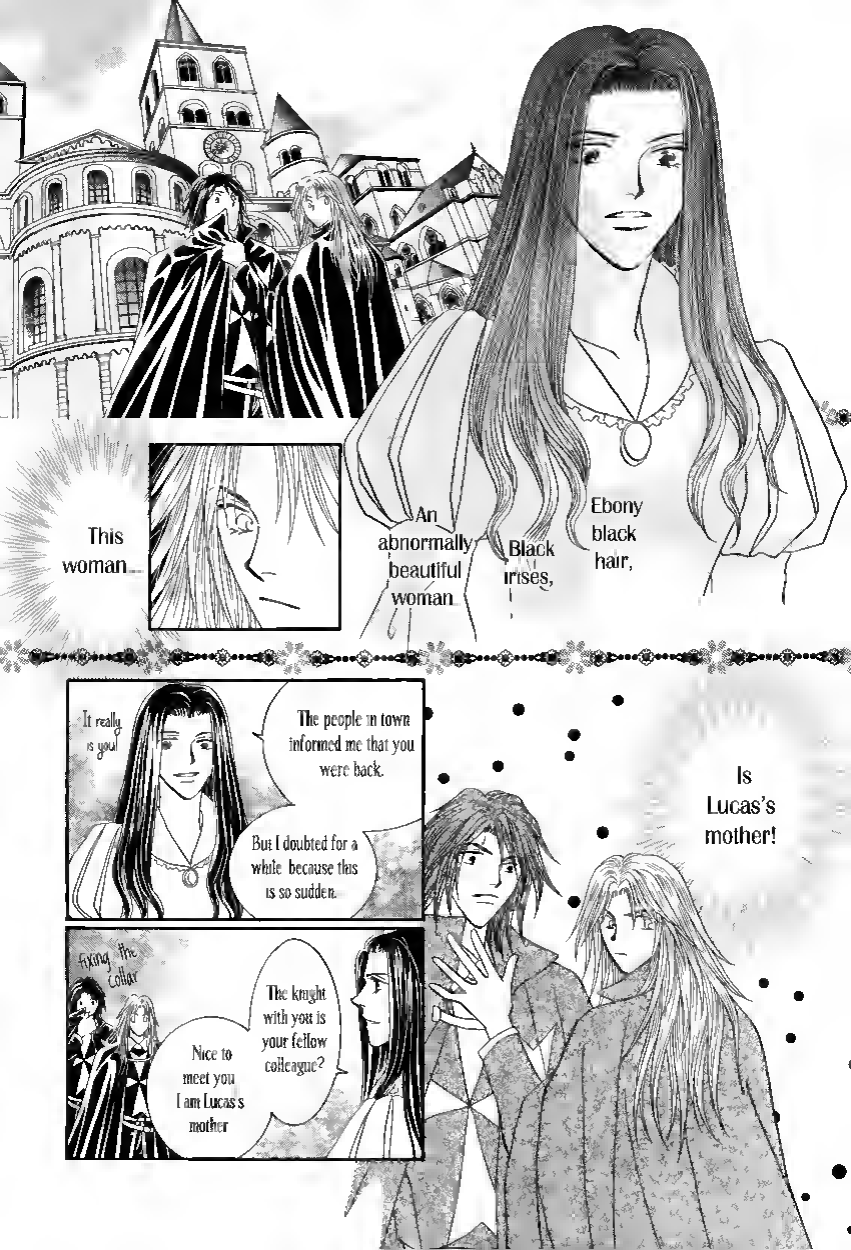
BURNING CITIZENS
KYA KYA KYA
SFX: WE SAW!!
見たぁ!!
I ought to tell my neighbor Marta!
Sir Lucas has grown very manly!
How unbelievably beautiful!!
Let's monopolise Sir Lucas!!
I heard that he is staying for a while?
Is he human? Or is he an angel?
Ladies and girls use all your might and make one of them yours!
And Sir Angel!!
I think he is an angel!
Ah! The Son of God brought an angel with him!
If two of us married them
AYE!!
Then they will stay as Trier forever!


Fired up as soon as they saw Adel.
Everyone
Since there's not much entertainment over here.
They just like to mess around.
They are delighted to have you back!
I feel like I can hear the sound of cheering behind us?
Hm?
Whoaaa!
Whoaaa!

I have a feeling that a thunderstorm will be coming soon...

After leaving this place for 3 years...


Once you became the Archbishop of the Trier Cathedral.
You are even more powerful than the Wilde-Sparker family
I'm not the sure.
Hm.
Is that so?
Not only that,
The great Archbishop is even more powerful than the king!!
Um I didn't say that
This the Cathedral of Mainz and the Cathedral of Cologne is the three main Cathedrals of Germany right?
Speaking of the Cathedral of Trier...
That's right
And
The three archbishops have the rights to vote for the Holy Roman Empire's King. The Archbishop also had great signifcance as one of the seven electors of the Holy Roman Empire
That's right
How are you... An under-bridge child?!
Lucas...
STEP...


This woman...
An abnormally beautiful woman
Black irises,
Ebony black hair,
It really is you!
The people in town informed me that you were back.
But I doubted for a while because this is so sudden.
Is Lucas's mother!
Fixing the collar
The knight with you is your fellow colleague?
Nice to meet you I am Lucas's mother

SMILE
GASP!
CHU!
Nice to meet you
I am Aciel Joan de Fredwill
I am under the same branch as Lucas
Please accept my sincere apology for intruding so suddenly
Sparkle
Sparkle
Ah.
What manner does she want to ruin other people's family?
That's why I didn't want to bring her here.
BATA BATA
Archbishop!!
Lucas!
I heard that Lucas is back!

You still look so healthy. This is great!
Father
You're back? Why? Isn't there still two years left?
Two years?
Lucas!
Not tolerated by the main Holy Roman Empire's world
The Archbishop and his son
He not like you
You have grown manlier like me!
And the citizens support them too
Mr. Lucas!
Oh, you're back?
True .
He really has quite some family problems
And

That beautiful mother is not European,
but Asian.
Is she a person who switched her beliefs, an ex-Muslim?
If the Holy Roman Empire's great Archbishop's wife is a Muslim, then..
Dear
Oh!
Sorry Aciel we made you wait
I'm sorry I was overjoyed by Lucas's return...
Lucas's friend is with us too!
Please don't stand and chair
chuckle...
Not at all.
You did too, mother.
Whoa! He's blushing ♡!
Dizzy
Ah-ya
So beautiful
The father...
This is a small country side with nothing. But the Mosel wine and the hot springs are spectacular!
I don't dare...
Come come! You're both tired right?
I'll take you inside Aciel
Excited
Hot springs?
After he dies he will have to suffer being burned for 7 times in the fires of hell

Very happy
Huh?
Thank you very much!
Then I will rudely intrude!
Even if you and Lucas go in together there will still be plenty of space left!
We have a bath connected from a natural hot spring!
That's why the Romans who loved bathing, built its city here
Trier has been having natural hot springs for a long time now
Be very cautious
Let's just keep Ariel as a man for now...
Excited
Hot springs! This is great!
If I tell them she's a girl there shall be misunderstandings...
Um
So
Whisper
We can't go in the bath together!
Oh? Why?
Not just 7 times! being forever burnt by the fire in hell, that is
A Palace
We're here. This is our home
Um I'm not so surprised anymore...
The only advantage is the large amount of land
Just a small countryside dwelling with nothing special

What a heart warming scene.
The lovely citizens,
all love Lucas' family deeply
How admirable
Welcome back!
Welcome back, young master!
These are the vegetables we grew in our backyard!
Archbishop!
Please enjoy it with Sir Lucas!
WHISPER
What Son of God? Don't be ridiculous!
Last year the Mosel grapes grew magnificently!
This is the best tasting sausage, please enjoy it!
Thanks, everyone
Still... there are people who are against them...
BWA HA HA
HA-HA HA

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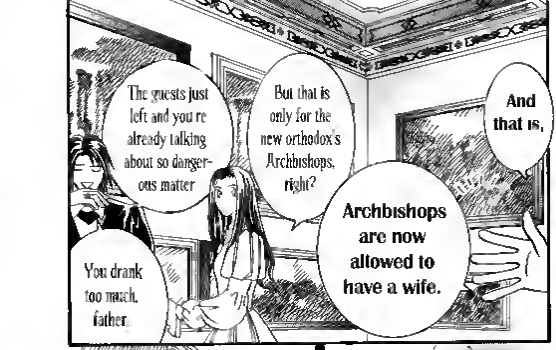
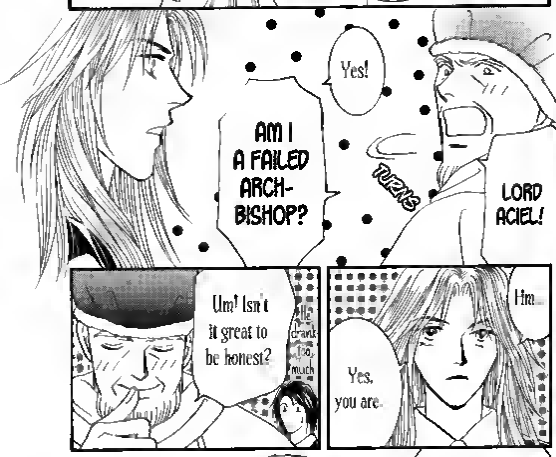

The guests just left and you're already talking about so dangerous matter
But that is only for the new orthodox's Archbishops, right?
And that is,
Archbishops are now allowed to have a wife.
You drank too much, father.



I betrayed the tradition of the Roman Catholic Church and have a wife and a kid
I am, like the pictures in churches an Archbishop that will get boiled over and over again in hell
But,
I don't regret it at all.

Inviting the citizens to such a big mansion for a feast,

Of course there will be jealousy...

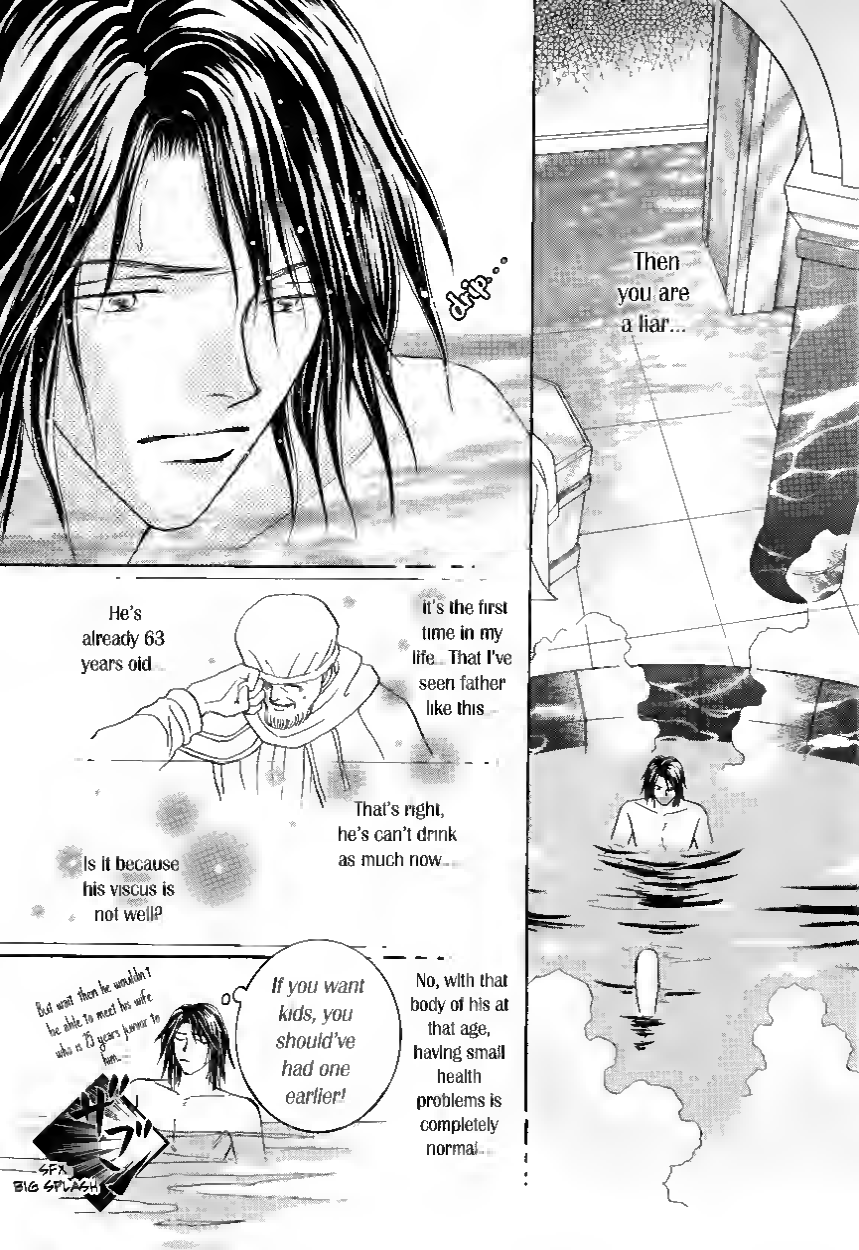
This is the unescapable truth!

Martin Luther: he was against the Roman Catholic Church and sought for protestant reformation

I can't beat father in terms of hopelessness!
I am more than happy to live like this.
And I have a son who surpasses me in every way.
I met my beautiful and gentle wife although she can be pretty bad-mouthered at times.
You should rest now
Lucas is not only a brave knight, but he is also a kind doctor.
I am beyond happy to have a friend like him.
Even if you return to Malta island –
Please keep your friendship with Lucas!
HAPPY!!
Thank you, Lord Ciel!
Thank you!

I thought I still have to bear two more years until Lucas returns.
I was going to force myself through, but I never thought that...
Lucas would return so suddenly like this!
Please return to the bedroom!
WAH... WAAH...
Aiya please don't do this in front of others!
Fa-ther! Actually, about that, I have something to say!
I'm so glad!
I'm so glad!
Let's talk tomorrow...
It's impossible for now!
buah...

Sigh
ah...ah...
My head hurts!
I can't take it anymore.
I'm going for a shower!
Many things that.
..are quite tiring!
You were the one who said..
...you'll send me flowers...
Every month...


drip...
Then you are a liar...
He's already 63 years old
it's the first time in my life. That I've seen father like this
That's right, he's can't drink as much now
Is it because his viscus is not well?
But wont then he wouldn't be able to meet his wife who is 23 years younger to him.
If you want kids, you should've had one earlier!
No, with that body of his at that age, having small health problems is completely normal
SFX BIG SPLASH

The bath water feels so comfortable!
SFX: SPLASH
!!!
UH-WAH-!!
EH EH YOU YOU
WHY DIDN'T YOU WAIT UNTIL I GO OUT?
This is my first time taking a bath.
My skin feels so slippery!
Uwah!
Don't come so close!
Your mother was the one who said the bath fits two people
SPLASH
Eh? Why?
SLIP

This is a knight's request!
so stay at the two ends of this bath's diameter!
I want to maintain the friend's relation-ship,
Eh?
This way we can talk, but were so far apart.
Then, How's about this?
Yup.
I can hear you better at this distance.
I've been here too long, my head's kinda hurt
BACK TO BACK, HUH?
I'm...
...going to return by myself tomorrow.
Hm?
Say Lucas..
Dizzy

SPLASH
!!
Eh?!
Ah!
I'm sorry!
Makes no difference to me.
Because you're different to the other knights, you're the only son.
If you get called back home, you have to return right?
But there is still two years remaining from the contract...
ANNOYED
So there's been a time limit right from the start!
Really?
But,
PISSED OFF
You told me some sweet words like giving me flowers for the rest of my life...
!!
By the look of that small, touching moment..
was a lie?
Oh, you're mistaken!!
SPLASH

I only remembered a few days ago!
Before that, I've completely forgot about it!
I forgot!
For me who was only 15 years old, life after five years seemed like a far future.
At Malta Island, I had so much fun living day to day that I threw the promise with my father to the back of my mind.

Team Zica Credits: **Icarusbride** helped with the lost translations Thanks! You made the final step for this release :P

This is definitely not a lie.
Until the day we die at the island of Malta.
I planned to be together with you ..
...and everyone there..
Hm.. fine
...
REALLY?!
I think now .. I understand

Sorry.
Looking at you face to face at such a short distance...
I already said
Don't worry about it.
SPLATTER
But
you definitely won't...
leave your mother all by herself, right?
The situation should be fine since your father is still alive
But after he dies, your mother will be all alone in a foreign country
Phew, I'm so hot
Besides, the religion flow in Germany is quite complicated too
Now the amount of Luther's supporters are increasing.
The Catholic Archbishop's wife is also an Asian woman, and living by herself would be way too dangerous.

Ah hah!
Alright... This is my limit.
I'm getting out
drip
Wait!!
In order to protect the woman you love the most and quit being a knight
I will never look down on you.
SPLASH!
I'm getting out first!!
RUSTLE

But, I can't possibly ignore the fact that you are a girl.

Team Zica Credits: *Zilvere* cleaned. Tho *Carola* made the double page, and also typsetted!

You're going back now today?
Yes.
I can't let delay my work any longer.
What a shame
We haven't treated you to anything yet
Stay for a few more days, Aciel
It's enough already.
Because I've already met the owner of the Ring.
Lucas he..
...always wears the Lapislazuli* ring that his mother gave him.
He takes great care of it!
That's right.
What a good-for-nothing boy!
Ah, yes
He still keeps it
that ring.
SFX: BHF
?!
* E/N: Yes, we said it was celestine, but that said in chinese raws. Now in japanese raws, we found out that it was lapislazuli, a blue stone that comes from Afganistan (and Chile) :P

That is a ring of protection. Wearing it, can keep him safe
But I've told him something else as well!
"Wearing that ring will surely bring happiness"
"So if you meet the love of your life, please give it to her."
Love of his life ..
a woman other than his mother
..that Lucas loves the most

That's right.
If he quit the knight squad,
This is not impossible...
He might end up marrying
I'm so happy, Ariel!
Really?
I think it'll still be under you care for 2 or 3 days.
That's right. Then we'll go see the outdoor theatre remains.
The historic remains?
Then let's go to the Emperor's Bath today!
I'll go make lunch.
Quitting the knight squad because of parents is acceptable

To continue?
You want to stay at the Knights squad?
That's right.
So you're not planning to return at all?
You can't have a future at this city.
I know.
I'm sorry for saying something so stubborn.
Sigh
Father.
I'm just reaping what I have sown.
I've already predicted this.
No.
No.. Aeul..
That doesn't sound quite right...
But quitting because of romance... That is *definitely unacceptable!*

No, please let me tell him!
Bailotte that has nothing to do with Lucas!
Quiet!
Actually the situation now is very dangerous!
Please rethink for a moment!
Sir Lucas!
This morning we received a threatening letter to the Archbishop.
What's really dangerous?
What's wrong, Bailotte?
Someone is planning for an assassination. They want to take the Archbishop's life.

Are you liking the story so far?
To continue we need a translator.
Apply!
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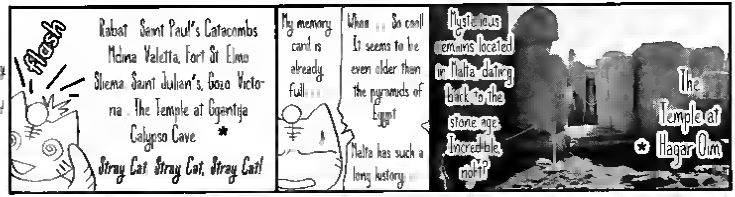
Travel Journal - Malta ②

I can't remember a lot of different things all at once.
I'm pass
This is what they call a
This has nothing to do with Knights...
"Wall of Stupidity"
It's even smaller than Fukuoka Airport
This is the absolutely adorable Malta International Airport
I'll be better than the local guides!
Let's go on a research trip!! Having decided, I'm already in super-research-mode!
Happy Cat

They are incredibly beautiful!
Malta is famous for it's blue seas and blue grottos
Take tons of pictures!!
Thus, this! This is what I need!
Flash Flash
A RESEARCH DEMON
I still have not gotten anything yummy to eat...
Arrrgh
You're wrong. The reason is because I have good luck
FU FU
The reason why it's sunny today is because my tour came to visit!
EHEM!
Mdina Tour Guide
Look, everyone!
The weather is unusually nice here.
Saint John's Cathedral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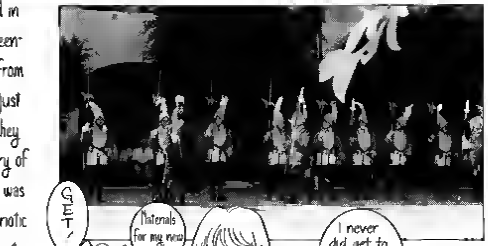
Stray Cat Stray Cat, Stray Cat!
My memory card is already Full...
Whoa... So cool! It seems to be even older than the pyramids of Egypt!
Malta has such a long history...
Mysterious remains located in Malta dating back to the stone age. Incredible, right?
The Temple at Hagar Qim

And so, although I wandered around aimlessly, I ended up learning a lot.

The islanders dressed in period clothing and reenacted actual battles from history. You can tell just from watching that they really cherish the history of their Malta Knights. It was in sync with those patriotic feelings when I began to write "Umu Kishi"



The last day in Malta which also happened to be our free day, coincided with a special event at Fort St Elmo called "In Guardia" (this only happens around twice a month. We were so lucky!!)

* Search in wikipedia if you are intererested under same names. All those are important historic places of Malta Island

We have to do something!
The sinner priest and the foreigner's devil son is back...
Those idiotic residents of this city, calling him the Son of God...
The one side by side to God is not the Archbishop
But us!
How annoying!!

The archbishop who protects demons should be punished!
Threat letters...
you say?
scene. 11
Lucas' family businesses 2

Yeah
Right...
I can't really argue back and say I did nothing to provoke them, and that's the most annoying part
We must find the perpetrator no matter what.
Yes, of course we kept it.
That kind of thing is disturbing really. I don't want to see it again.
Is it still here? Please Wagner
please let me see the letter
Here, young master.
In warner der Sundhafte Priester
Der Tod schaut ihm
u bist daran
Streng
die Zah
To the sinner priest: If you don't immediately chase the daughter of the foreign cult follower away from Trier, God will severely punish you.
There is nothing special about the paper or the writing!
Yes... that's right!
But there is something about this letter...
woosh...
Per-fume?
And this perfume
I remem-ber!

Team Zica Credits *RiderFan* proofreaded! Thank you!

Henna, the dye used by Islamic women
when I was small...
It's the same as the perfume I smelt coming from my mother's
The person who sent this letter,
is mother?
What is she thinking?
Wh...
Why?
That is to say!
Luckily father didn't discover the smell
he would collapse in hopelessness
If he knew mother wanted to separate with him,
N... no... Nothing.
No, way!
I can't tell father!
Chase the daughter of the foreign cult follower away
You seem puzzled.
What is it? Lucas?
Don't tell me mother...
Did you find something?
...wants to separate with father?
I don't want her worrying over something like this.
I didn't tell her yet.
Father did you tell mother about the letter?
Right. It's better not to tell her.
RUSTLE

What should I do... if it really was like that...
I will take care .. of this matter.
Is Lucas here?
Morning, archbishop.
Look, I made lunch
The weather's great do you want to have a picnic?
Morning, Ariel
Picnic good idea.
I'll go!
Got to protect her!
I forgot! The other case!
Ariel... Mother...
phew...
So.. sorry, Lucas.
CLICK!
Didn't this guy say she'll head back to Malta alone?
Ariel about yesterday
Yesterday?
Didn't you say you were going back alone?
Oh... that...
whisper

I like your house's hot spring!
I want to enjoy it a little more.
I've changed my mind.
I've decided to stay for two or three more days.
Your mother has already...
What is it?
I'm quite conscious of it.
Ah... I talked to your mother
Can we talk?
Right Lucas.
GRA
BS!
!!

Team Zeca Credits *Cherry* translated. Thank you! Your work is always so pro! Hope you can help us in the future :)

I heard that the lapis lazuli ring from your mother...

...is to be given to your beloved someday?

Why did she say that to that person.

In my position as the commander of the 9th branch

I would be troubled if you suddenly left the Knights.

So I want to know are you expecting to give out the ring anytime soon?

.....

Asking me if I expect to give the ring to some girl...

No.

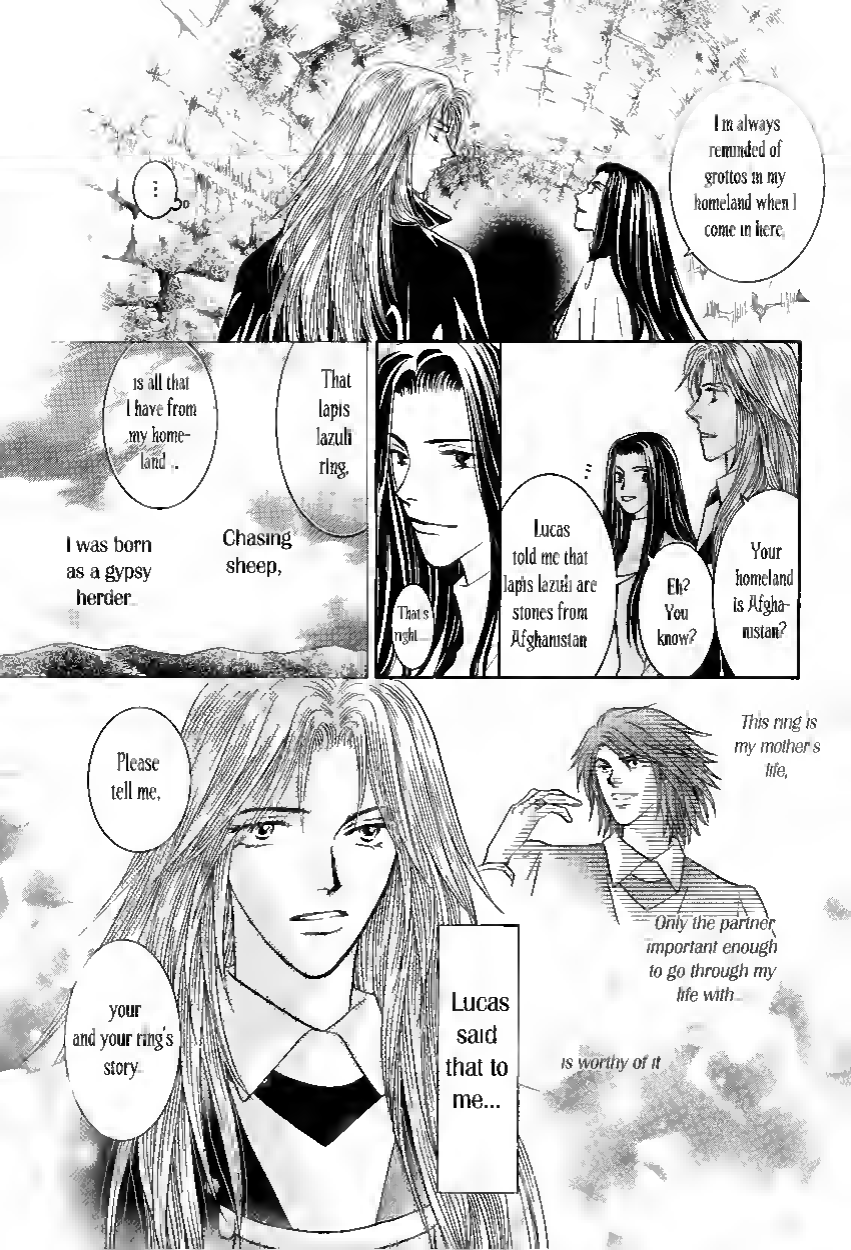
More like I probably won't give this ring to anyone.

This ring is my mother's life

Only the partner important enough to go through my life with...
Is worthy of it
RUSTLE...
Almost time to go
It's already noon
Yup.
an expression I have never seen before
Are we walking there?
Yeah.
It's close.
My first time seeing Lucas' other side,
They are leaving the mansion.
The whole family is

We will make a move today!
The chance is here!
But we have more people
Although there is also the son who is a Maltan Knight and has friend
Look, Aciel, there's the Imperial bath.
Magnificent ruins!
The ruins of a bath built in around Fourth Century by a Roman emperor,
The treasure of Trier!
How about we go in and look!?
there are dark and narrow it feels nice to walk there
There are still steam vents inside
How painful.
No!
Come here!
And mother is too cruel
father still doesn't know that the letter was from mother and still wants to protect her...
Eh? But there's no sun there!
Walk this way, closer to me.
this way!
It's safer with a wall behind you
Come on!

I HAVE CLAUSTRO-PHOBIA!
Steam vents!
Seems fun!
But if I don't go in, I can't protect my wife!
Was that on purpose?
Mother
To make Father suffer?
Wah, it's dark, how fun
Father, don't force yourself, go out if you don't feel comfortable!
So narrow...
Such an useless man
Leave with your father first.
Lucas,
I'll take Aciel on a tour
He'll be scared
CLONK CLONK
Uh.. uh. uh.
Should we follow?
They went inside
We'll go out first.
Aciel is here
Don't worry, father
But...
I'll worry, darling
Phobia to the extremes...
No.. the steam vents are too narrow to use our swords.
We'll move when they come out!

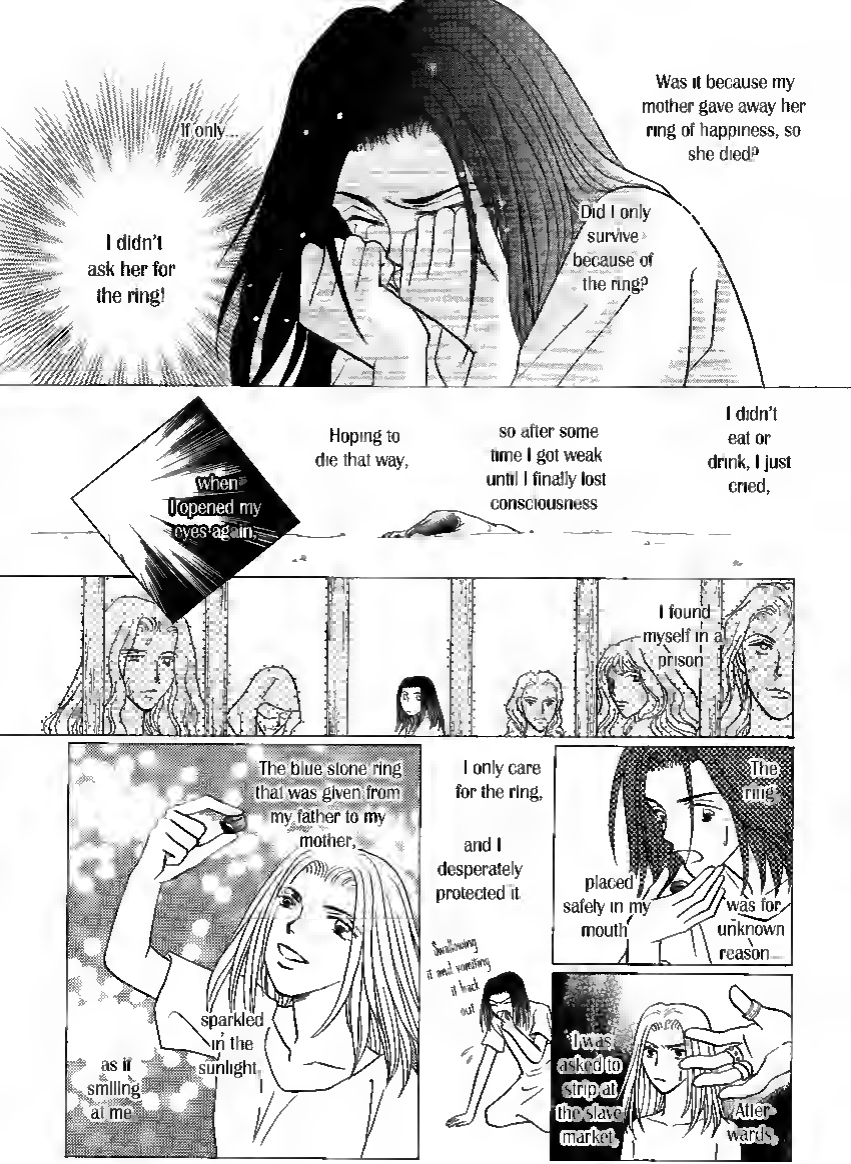

I'm always reminded of grottos in my homeland when I come in here.
That lapis lazuli ring,
is all that I have from my homeland..
I was born as a gypsy herder.
Chasing sheep,
That's right.
Lucas told me that lapis lazuli are stones from Afghanistan
Eh? You know?
Your homeland is Afghanistan?
This ring is my mother's life,
Only the partner important enough to go through my life with...
is worthy of it
Lucas said that to me...
Please tell me,
your and your ring's story.

...a beautiful youth befitting all the European ideals...
Sincere jade-like eyes...
...sparkling golden hair like Chinese silk...
...thinks of Lucas that much...
I...
Yes.
This story is a bit long.
Back to...
the hills...
of my homeland!
want to know about Lucas'
precious things.

Islamic gypsy shepherds might be poor, yet they have the treasure of freedom.
Wide green grass fields, clear lakes, sky full of stars all ours.
Winning against my brothers and being able to sleep next to mother was very blissful
My mother's hands were cracked from working, but she wore a sparkling lapislazuli ring on her right thumb
I kept annoying her about it and she gave it to me when I was 13 years old.
Though it was an important ring my father gave my mother when they were young.
Three days after my mother gave me her ring,
Our tribe was attacked by another tribe
Our sheep were taken
and my family members were all killed

Team Zica Credits *Icarusbride* helped with the lost translations. Thank you! Your work made this chapter look better!! :D

so I didn't get killed
That day, I went out alone to find water,
and that was why gypsy tribes were poorer than the other tribes.
the grass withered and the sheep were almost all gone
After 3 years of drought.
When my mother gave her ring to me, she told me something.
The person wearing this ring will definitely receive happiness
I'm already very happy so I'm giving it to my only daughter.
My beloved family,
the roots that connected me to the world

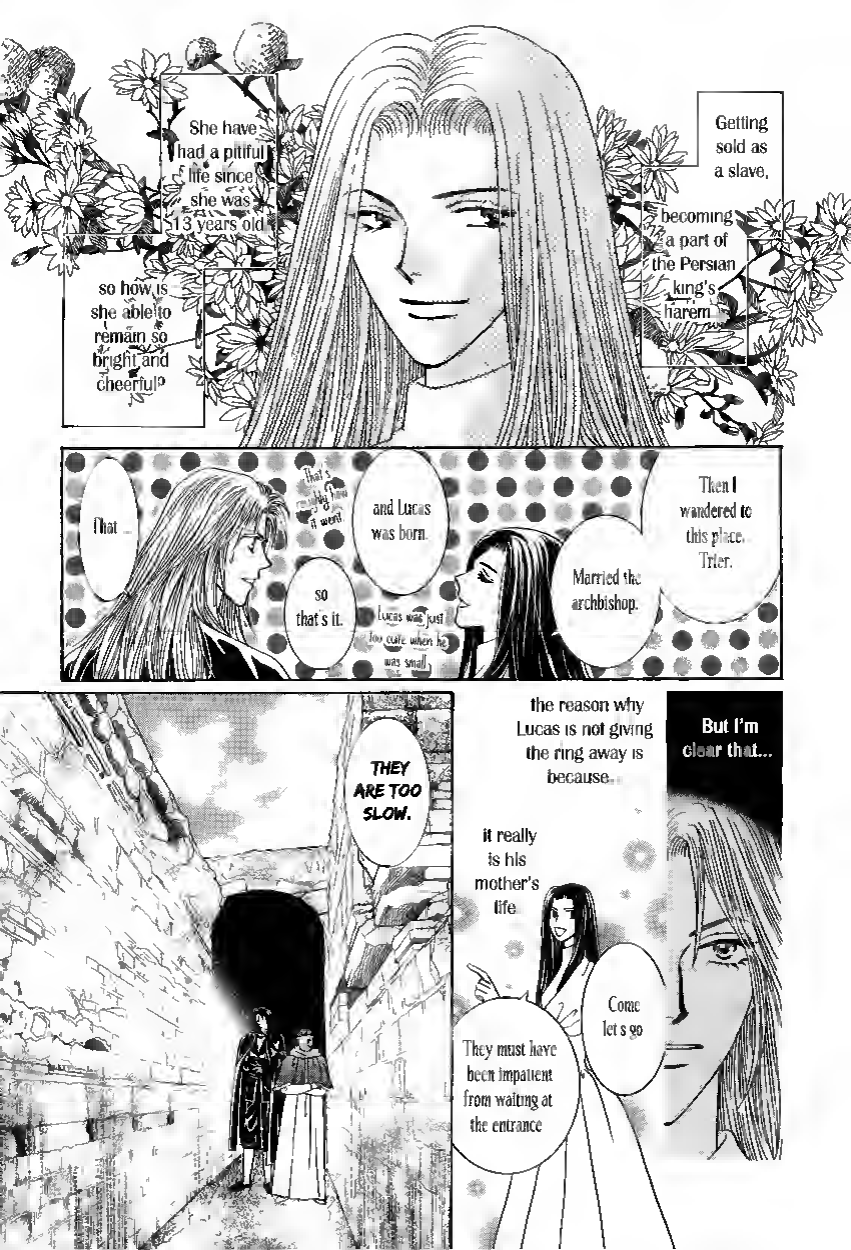

If only...
I didn't ask her for the ring!
Was it because my mother gave away her ring of happiness, so she died?
Did I only survive because of the ring?
I didn't eat or drink, I just cried,
so after some time I got weak until I finally lost consciousness
Hoping to die that way,
when I opened my eyes again,
I found myself in a prison
The blue stone ring that was given from my father to my mother,
sparkled in the sunlight
as if smiling at me
I only care for the ring,
and I desperately protected it
The ring
placed safely in my mouth
was for unknown reason
Swallowing it and vomiting it back out
I was asked to strip at the slave market
After wards

Unbelievably,
after the thought of protecting the ring came up,
I gave up my initial thought of wanting to die
even when I was in pain or in danger I put the ring first as if it was my family
and sent to the Persian king's harem.
At the slave market, I was bought by a Persian noble,
Living in the harem, I had
gold and silver,
silk
and
pearls,
diamonds and rubies,
feather pillows and peacock fans
A maid who was jealous of me for gaining the Persian king's affections
What is this dirty ring doing here?
What?
Ah!
That's mine, give it back!
But!
still, to me, only my ring was precious

Team ZeCa Credits. **Ran** helped with the cleaning and with the Quality Check!! ^0
Youre awesome! please continue pushing us with the work! We ned some poking >_<

W...what is with this thing!
Let go, give it back!
How satisfying!
Ha ha ha
!!
If it's so precious, then get it back!
plunk...
SWOOSH!
Yaa!
I couldn't retrieve it
Though it's was close,
The ring landed outside the wall of the harem
So that night, I ran away with the ring
I found it immediately
as if it was waiting for me
I escaped outside to find my ring
Avoiding the night guards patrolling
I no longer wanted to stay in such a place!

I...
could only escape to a country of a different religion.
On the road,
I received help from friendly strangers,
so I was able to cross the border
Hurry!
Leave this place quickly
Escaping from the harem results in a death penalty
A female slave, who betrayed the Persian king,
Though I wasn't afraid of dying,
I had no place on the Islamic land
but if I'd die, then no one would remember anything about my tribe
Remarkable,


She have had a pitiful life since she was 13 years old
so how is she able to remain so bright and cheerful?
Getting sold as a slave,
becoming a part of the Persian king's harem
That...
That's how things turned out
so that's it.
and Lucas was born.
Lucas was just too cute when he was small
Married the archbishop.
Then I wandered to this place, Trier.
THEY ARE TOO SLOW.
the reason why Lucas is not giving the ring away is because...
it really is his mother's life
They must have been impatient from waiting at the entrance
Come let's go
But I'm clear that...

I'm anxious
Lucas,
Why did she send the threat letter?
but there's still love
But I don't understand, though mother is cold to father
Father?
Your mother was born in a Far East country
seen the broad world I can't even imagine and then arrived in Germany
And like your mother you are living on the far away Malta island
I always get a feeling that you two will leave me one day
and I feel afraid
Fa-ther
I've been in this small town my whole life
and I'm different from you two
...father.
Don't mind it, forget about it!
Ah, sorry
slip of the tongue

Let's go!
The archbishop is there.
Two people came out first
They are so slow
maybe something really happened
I wonder
I'll go see.
The son left the archbishop is alone!
Now!
Attack, kill him!
!!
Sorry, Lucas...
Mother!
Ariel!

Mother?
!!
ZOOM!
Lucas behind you!
!!
SFX.SLASH
What ...!

...Uh...
Waa-
aaa-
aaa!!

These... criminals!
Stop!
Keep it together!
You... you... keep it together!
We didn't hurt the archbishop!
DASH!
At least we killed his Islamic wife.
I'll chase them!
Hurry!
You save your mother!
Aciel...
We got some results, retreat for now!
Don't chase them too far!
Aciel!
Really, darn it!
I was too careless!

SFX: STOMP STOMP STOMP
どか どか どか
I won't forgive you!
These bastards!
The voice I heard in the crowd at the place yesterday,
Is probably one of these people
Hmph what son of god!
Mixing in with the innocent people,
secretly making foul plans,
These cheap bastards!
Regardless of whether that letter was real or not,
I should have been watching for assassins
Don't die!
Mother! Keep on breathing...!
ah... uh...
You can't die!
I will save you!

Team Zea Credits. *Zihvere* cleaned. Several times. And he's always available to work on this so. Thank you a lot!! ;)

The dogs, who hurt that noble lady,
To sacrifice herself to save her husband,
a lady who is as bright as any gem
I will kill them!
The wound, on her right side,
the problem is the depth of it.
Yes!
PLING
Father disinfect the needle!
I need to sew her wound close!
And bring white cloth from the house.
Hurry!
Ah... Ah! Mistress!
What happened?
Don't die
You can't die!
Wagner, please boil some water!
then it's relatively dangerous
If it reached the organs,
SFX: BIII!

I'm sorry, mother.
Please endure it...
SFX: CLENCH
Aaahhh!!
Aaaa ahhh...!!

God, please...
If you're calling,
please take my life instead
Please,
Please,
If you really need to,
then please kill this...
desirous old man first.
As long as the ones I love most,
can live on happily
Even if I'm not with them,
I'll be fine.

SFX: THUD THUD THUD
だだだだ…
What's happening?
Ah...
Are those swords?
SFX: THUD THUD THUD
だだだ
WTH?
That angel-like Knight-sama!
Young master Lucas friend!
That is...
Darn, that kid!
Where is he chasing us to!
How annoying!
どがどが
SFX: STOMP STOMP

WOOSH
Wah.
Ah!
The men with swords !
S... stopped!

Let's finish this.
Huh?
Hey!
an appropriate lesson!
Let's give this obnoxious kid...
Knight-sama, please escape!
5 against 1!
A fight?
Wah!
Sorry to cause trouble for everyone in the town,
But please don't worry.

Unforgivable!
Opposed to this, please move back as far as possible
in order to avoid getting these guys blood on you
This brat!
What?
I will kill you!
But these guys mercilessly wounded her.
Go home kids!
Move back!
Wah!
Lucas' mother did not commit any crimes,
SFX: ZOOM!
I'll shut your mouth for you!
Still talking!

SFX:SLASH!
Guh...
aaah...!

Team Zica Credits. *Carola* typeseted. And she took her time, cause shes busy. So she needs help! Wanna faster releases? Apply :P

You must save your mother!

So? Lucas your mother...
is saved?
Yeah
Though the wound is severe, fortunately it did not reach any organs
she's fine
Oh...
Thank goodness, thank goodness...
Please look after her father.
If mother looks to be in pain
please hold her hand!
I have to...
SFX-TURN!
...chase after Aciel!

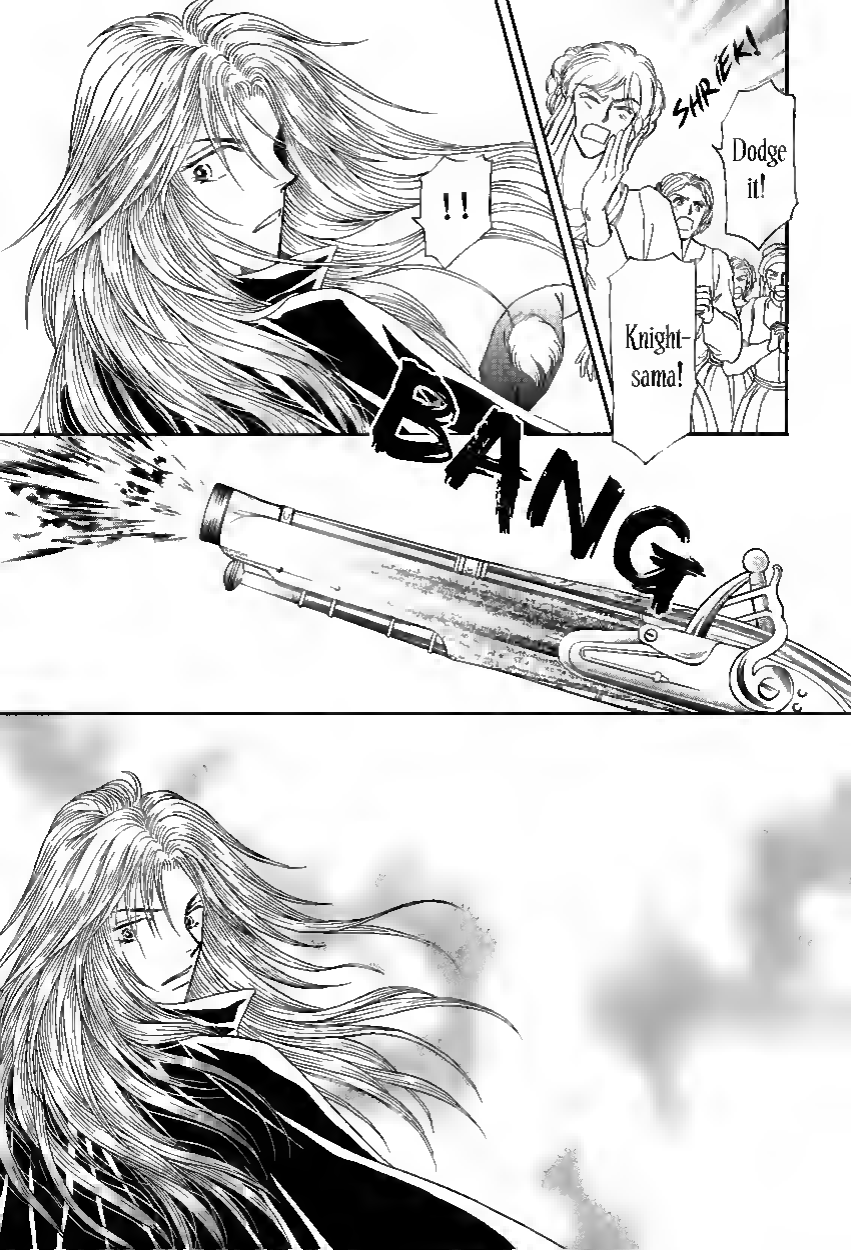
GFX BURST OPEN
The boss of the scissors stare...
What is it?
At the town square
Young master Lucas!
Bad news!!
Your friend and some criminals are in a stalemate!
They're scared!
Because the first one was down so suddenly
It's been 30 minutes of stillness.
...Aciel...

they should just stop!
If they don't want to end up like the first person.
That angel-like Knight-sama is very strong.
Better to just surrender
Okay!
everyone together!
If it's like that
Darn it
SWOOSH
わあわあ
SFX:ROAR

Attacking with four people...!!
How cheap!
Ahh!
SFX:SLASH!
Against these dirty bastards,
SFX:SPLAT...

I can't kill them.
SFX: FWISHH
please save me
Somehow,
Such quick reflexes
Elegant sword skills

As dreadful as the scene is,
That is, a battling angel.
that golden hair,
reflecting on the black clothes,
is almost like a dream
RUSTLE
Darn...
Darn... it...
GFX: RISE
Ah!
That guy..!
...has a gun!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SHRIEK!
Dodge it!
Knight-sama!
BANG

CRUSH
!!
Lucas!

SFX:UGH...
ナッあああ!
Ariel...
She's saved!
But...
Didn't I tell you...?
...to not chase them too far?
Lucas how is your mother?
Yup
LOOK AT ME WHEN YOU'RE ANSWERING!
REALLY!!
GOING BY YOUR-SELF...!
Uh. looks painful
Do you have any sense of self?
Did you know how scared I was, when I heard that you were fighting in the town square?
No matter how strong, you're still a girl!
Sure?

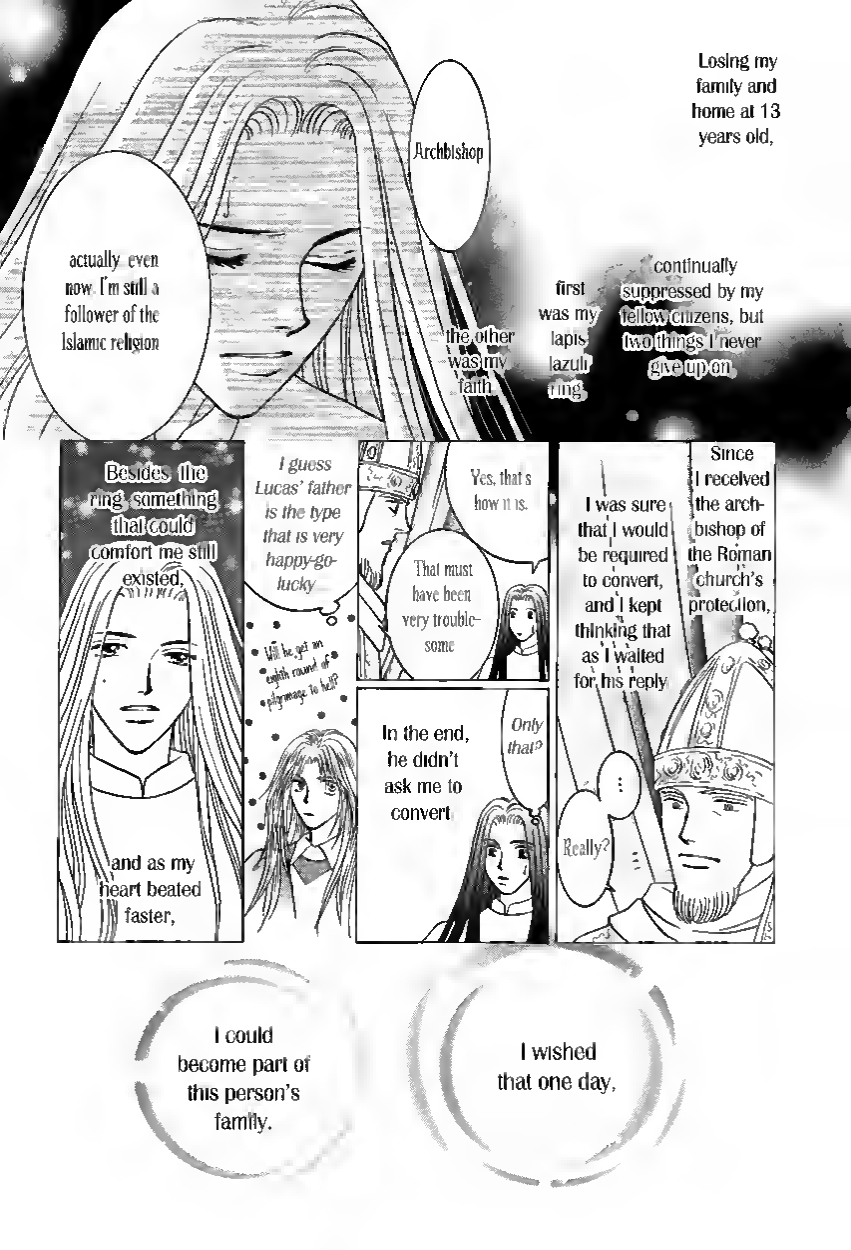
He said...
shes a GIRL?!
SFX: AMAZING...
えええええ...
A... angel-sama is a girl?
Then she's .. so strong!
When he said it really ..!
She's too pretty to be a male!
S.. so awesome!
wah~
wah~

キャー
SFX: SHRIEK
キャー
わあ
SFX: WOW
わあ
After investigating the people who attacked the archbishop,
they turned out to be the bodyguards of some quack doctor in the town of Trier (recently converted to Lutheran church)
Since before they seem to be disapproving Lucas, who was the archbishop's son and a famous doctor with a sound reputation
But they said they didn't send the threat letters.
But what is the deal with the dye scented threat letter?
Threat letter? Was there such a thing?
Aiya
That was me!
Eh?
!!
Mother... It really was you
Everyone seems excited!
Everyone...
Rouse them around!
How bothersome
So I actually started all this...
Pitiful

Because... Lucas I wanted to help your father to make you stay!
He wants you to stay in Trier.
but he was bluffing and saying things that he thought were sensible.
What are you saying!
It must be retribution...
But real criminals showed up and I even got hurt.
Before the threat letter incident is solved.
Lucas can't go back to the Malta Island right? Isn't that perfect?
Father
What are you saying?
Even God wouldn't want retribution from you!
Don't come near it hurts!
SFX-WHIMPER
おおうっっ
I'll protect you.
I'll always protect you!
Right!

Let's go
Okay
Am I in the way...?
With me?
I want to have a chat with Ariel
can you two go out for a bit?
What do you want to talk about?
Hm.
First
Thank you
I heard that you chased the criminals, who wounded me,
and I heard...
that you're a girl...
and fought with them for my sake....

Milady.
Thank you for everything.
Of course.
I hope you will hear it to the end.
I haven't told you everything yet.
And about my past.
I finally made it to Trier.
after drifting from place to place for a while,
Betting with my life, I came to Europe,
and told him my past without hiding anything.
so I came here seeking protection
I heard that Trier's archbishop was especially generous.
there was another unresolved issue in my heart
Though I was begging for mercy from the archbishop,
The bishop comforted me
Even the Saint Maidens had fewer tragedies in their lives than you!


Losing my family and home at 13 years old,
continually suppressed by my fellow citizens, but two things I never give up on.
first was my lapis lazuli ring
the other was my faith
Archbishop
actually, even now, I'm still a follower of the Islamic religion
Since I received the archbishop of the Roman church's protection,
I was sure that I would be required to convert, and I kept thinking that as I waited for his reply
Really?
...
Only that?
In the end, he didn't ask me to convert
Yes, that's how it is.
That must have been very troublesome
I guess Lucas' father is the type that is very happy-go-lucky
He'll be on eighth round of pilgrimage by fall?
Besides, the ring, something that could comfort me still existed,
and as my heart beated faster,
I could become part of this person's family.
I wished that one day,

A family worths as much as any treasure
Please take care of Lucas for me
Aciel.
Yes.
Yup
What... mother loves Father a lot. what was I worrying about...
...Really? Mother said these things
After bath
Before bath
It's great, you're so loved.

This guy thinks I have a mother complex again
Ah...
Who cares can't be helped
There should be no problems for a while
I'll work hard to have another child
I must be healthy!
Because of this my father lifted his spirits again
Oh,
When mother is alone
I will take her to Malta
good idea!
Selflessly,
I really like your mother.
throwing herself forward.
a lady filled with bravery,

I will definitely be back!
Just like a lapis lazuli stone...
Please accept this
And Aciel
Even if you cut a thousand people
This is my family's heirloom sword.
made by a famous german made using the best iron
it definitely won't blunt.
Although you got involved in a serious incident.
don't worry about it and come to Trier again!
in recovery

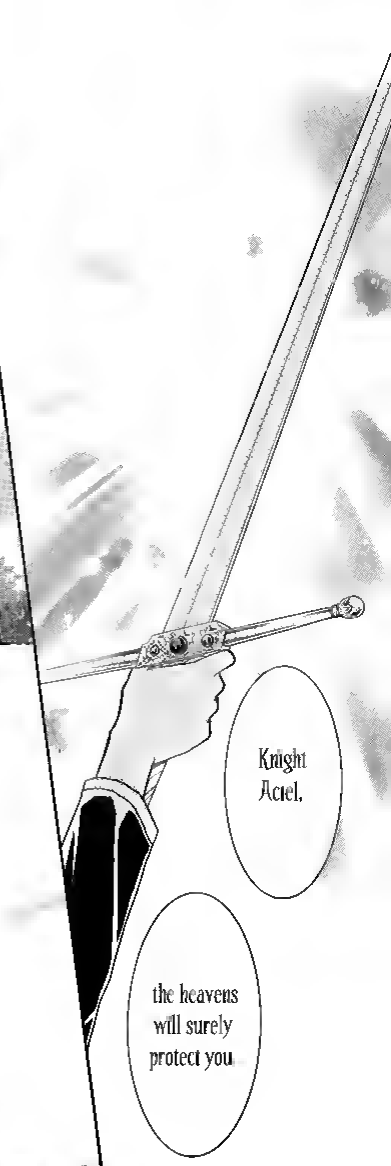
This sword, though strong, is light
and should been able to reduce the pressure on a lady's thin wrist
Thank you
though nothing can express how thankful I am
Please accept this at least ...
ﾗﾗﾄ...

Let's return,

past the dark forest,

over the Alps,

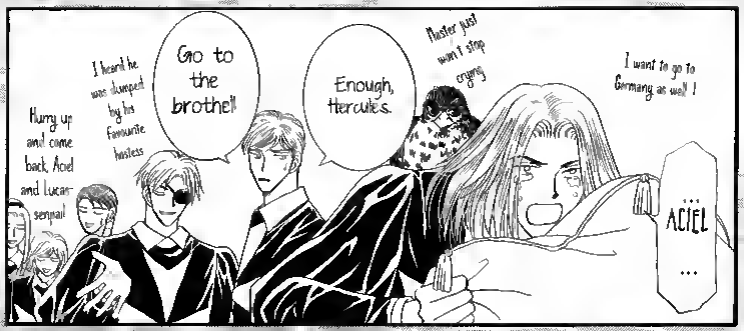
across the sea ..



back to our

new
homeland...

Malta.


Hurry up and come back, Aciel and Lucan-sempai!
I heard he was dumped by his favourite hostess
Go to the brothel!
Enough, Hercules.
Master just won't stop crying
I want to go to Germany as well!
...ACIEL...

Are you liking the story so far?
To continue we need a translator.
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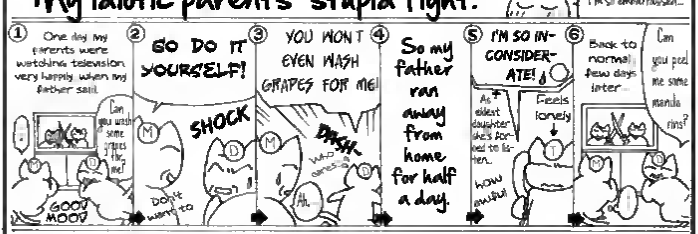
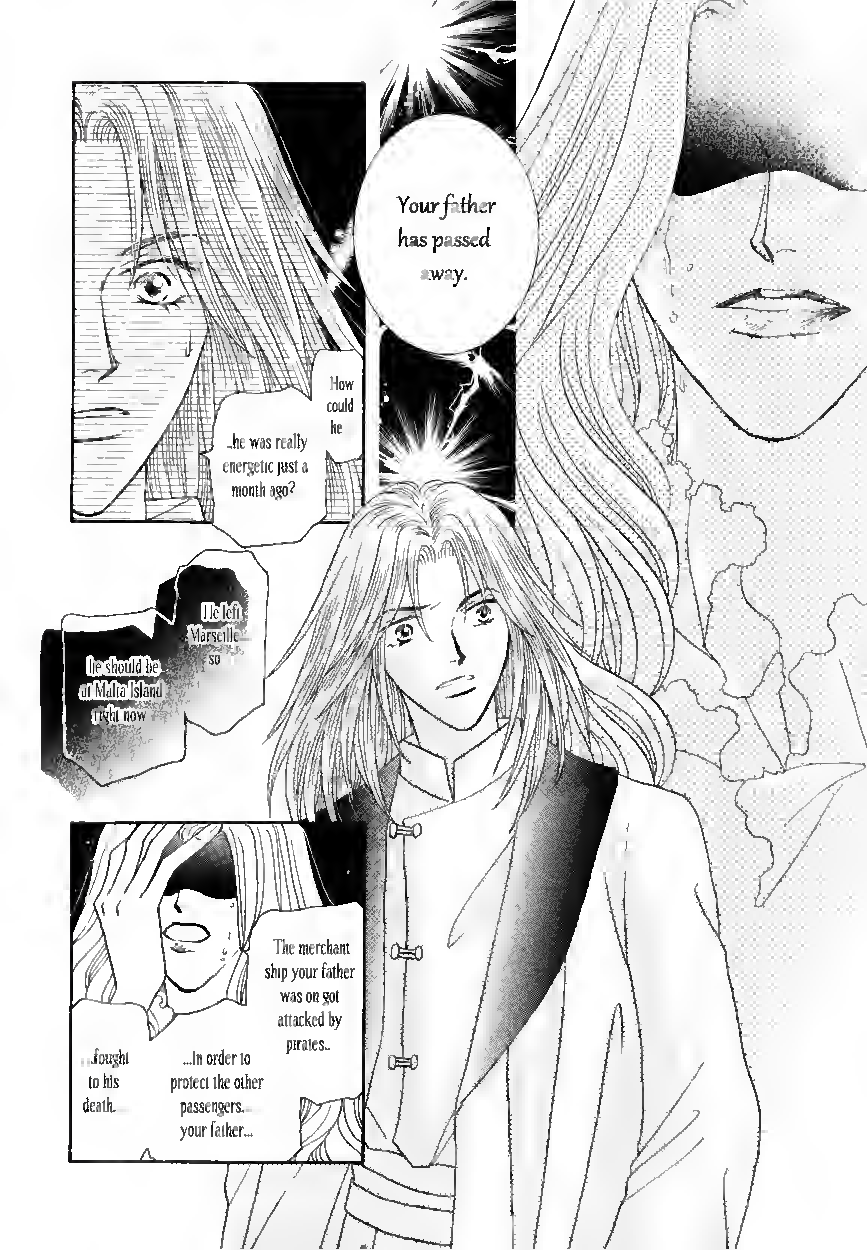
My idiotic parents' stupid fight.


I'm so embarrassed...
1 One day my parents were watching television very happily when my father said,
Can you wash some grapes for me?
GOOD MOOD
2 GO DO IT YOURSELF!
SHOCK
Don't want to
3 YOU WON'T EVEN WASH GRAPES FOR ME!
DASH
4 So my father ran away from home for half a day.
5 I'M SO INCONSIDERATE!
As if eldest daughter likes for her to listen.
How awful
Feels lonely
6 Back to normal a few days later...
Can you peel me some manda rins?

It's a good thing that my parents have such a good relationship.

M: mom
D: dad
T: Tawawa Mitsuru (author)

▼「My Family Members' Secrets!」


Your father has passed away.
How could he
...he was really energetic just a month ago?
He left Marseille so
he should be at Malta Island right now
The merchant ship your father was on got attacked by pirates..
...In order to protect the other passengers, your father...
...fought to his death.

That's impossible!
This must be wrong!
Even if the situation was completely against him father... how could he be killed by pirates...!?
It was Dragut Reis *
*Turgut Reis, famous hero or infamous pirate, depending on the side of the history you want to know. Here the author uses his nick: Dragut. Reis means admiral, as honorific. Go google it if you're interested. :P
The chief of Barbary * pirates,
admiral of the Ottoman Turkish navy,
the most infamous pirate in the Mediterranean Sea
it's not impossible.
* Barbary pirates also called Ottoman corsairs, were pirates and privateers who operated from North Africa in Mediterranean Sea...

Your father..
...is already dead.. Aciel.
I was 15 years old,
I learned what complete despair felt like for the first time,
but unbelievably I did not shed a single tear.
someone actually killed my beloved father,
It was like I was surrounded by flames of fury, even my tears were stopped,

I swear I will kill you!
Pirate Dragut Reis..
scene. 12
Genova Incident
SFX:FWOOSH
ザアア...
SFX:HOWLING
ビュウウ..
The storm is getting stronger
we won't be able to set sail tomorrow like this

From Lucas' hometown, Trier, we arrived in northern Italy's harbour city, Genova, safely after passing through the Alps
We only need to get on a ship here before Malta Island is in sight.
Lucas.
We stopped for a whole 3 days in Genova because of strong winds
now it's raining as well. how inconvenient.
The scenery from this window of this inn.
is so gloomy no matter how many times you look.
Eh?
But!
That pirate who was hung there
would be better to be let down soon, right?

Uh...
Aciel's father's enemy is an Ottoman Turkish pirate,
I said too much...
Uh, punishment is essential!
Ah, but if it became normal everyday then it won't serve its purpose.
What's the name of the pirate?
He must know a lot about pirates, therefore...
Eh?
Genova's viceroy, Doria-sama, is the captain of naval mercenaries right?
Since we're bored to death here anyways,
Let's go talk to him!
Hey Aciel!
Let's go!
Quick, let's go to Doria-sama's estate.

Team Zica Credits: *Ren* proofreaded. And helped with the cleaning! Girl! All that while in vacations... Hard worker! :D

POURING

KNOCK KNOCK KNOCK

Good evening!

We wish to see the viceroy!

Hey-!

This guy moves fast!

Kind of too fast...

Is this an ambush...?

I'm delivering wine to the back door

do you want to come?

!!

It's late so maybe they're asleep?

They're holding a party inside

KNOCK KNOCK

Hey-!

Please walk this way
Yeah! Though he isn't up to your standard
BAM BAM
He's a pretty boy too good for working at a bar
How to say this...
Guests?
The wine you ordered is here
Oh! Thank you for delivering though the heavy rain
And, there were guests
That's!
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CHATTER...
I am the leader of the 9th branch of the St John's knights. Aciel Joan de Fredwill.
. and
This is my subordinate. Lucas Agas von Wildesparker.
We apologise for this impolite sudden visit.
No, no a visit from the famed St. John's Knights—
...is always welcomed. and we're coincidentally hosting a party.

He gives a calm-feeling..!
Intelligent beauty!
The black-haired one is also excellent!
Please enjoy the feast!
No... that's not why we came...
Smooth skin and captivating emerald eyes
Ah, what a great knight-sama!
If it is, it's miraculously beautiful!
Is that golden hair real?
I'm ok.
Invitation to dance!
I don't dance
Aciel-sama please come here!
Knight-sama, please dance with us!
Already know the names
Lucas-sama please come here!
A bit embarrassing
Come... please enjoy!
It can't be helped. Let's continue with work later!
What a headache, can't refuse him
THUMP...!
Ah-!!
What?
You don't dance?

USH...
USH...
BLEGH...
BRUH...
!!
What? What happened?
I... I don't know....!
the guests suddenly feel unwell!
Excuse me
Urgh Urgh.
These symptoms...
What's the matter Lucas?!

Poisoning?
Hurry up and move!
FALLS
Induce vomiting to make them throw out what s in their stomaches!
Then make them drink salt water with ash to clean their stomaches!
Yes!
SNIFF
What?
This cider
The cause is here
smells of hemlock.
Is poisoning!
A poison is acting!

I didn't recognise the person delivering the wine...!
I deeply apologize!
!!
I thought master ordered something different...
Those were delivered from the bar..
What's going on? Cider was not in the menu for tonight!
That young man?
It was...
WOOSH..

Hello
brother.
For you.
I made a small revenge.
WOOSH
But...

Team Zica Credits ***Meowpudding*** translated Thank you! To work with your translations was so easy :)

...it was only the start.

POURS!

That, Doria-sama..

do you have any clue as to the suspect?

...

We only know that he is a young Caucasian male

approximately 190cm of height

light brown hair

and blue eyes

Thanks to your help, only a few people were affected

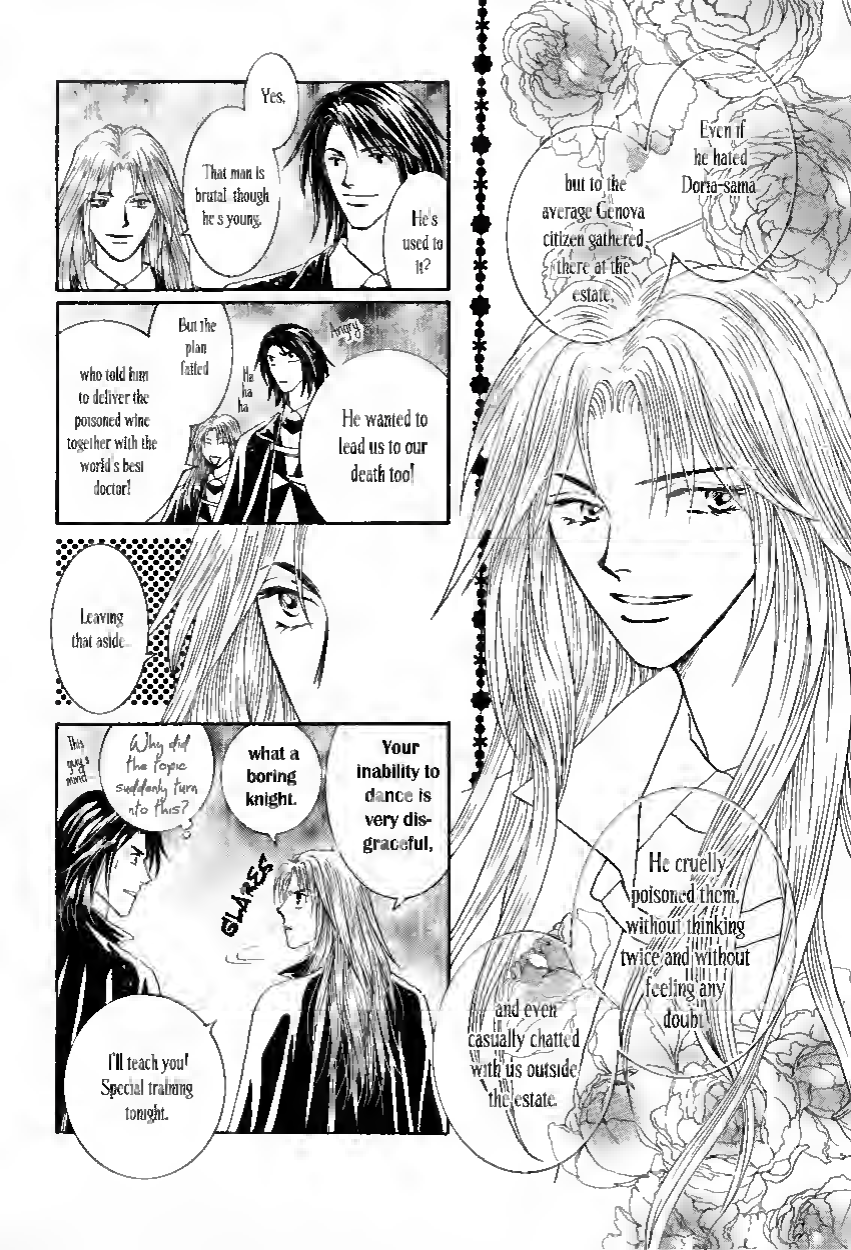
I don't know how to thank you...

Ok, ok...
The so-called pretty boy.
We need time to find the criminal not to mention...
Since war is our career, it's obvious that there will be enemies, so it's impossible to remember every one of them.
Just as you are
We of the Doria family have been in the navy for generations.
Ah!
Before we go I'd like to ask you a question.
What is it?
Lucas!
I understand Outsiders should leave
so please forget everything that happened here tonight!
... that as Knights of St. John, you have a huge responsibility.
What kind of person was the pirate...
...hanged at the harbour?
...

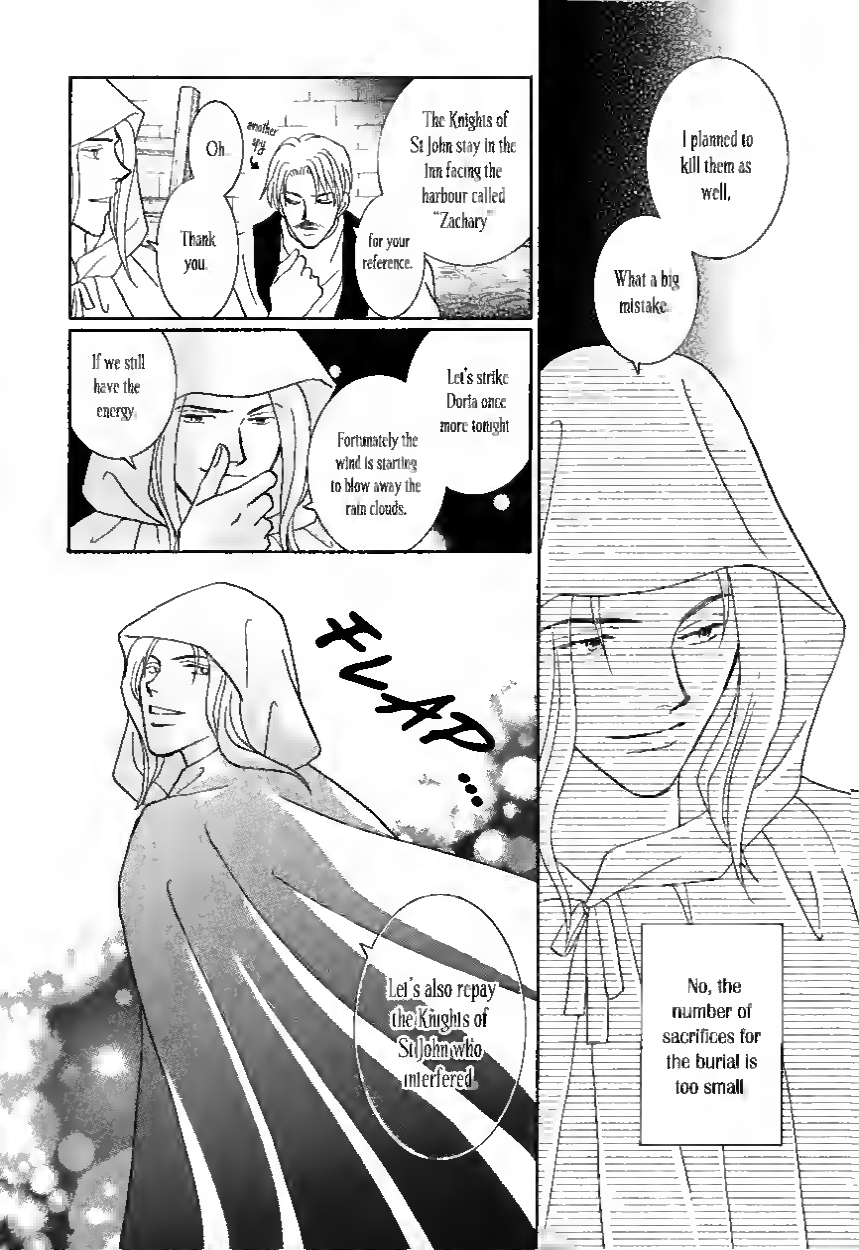
Barbary pirate...
We only know that he was a member of Barbary pirates, but nothing else
He didn't give us his name, only accepted the punishment silently
Please!
So that's it...
Eh?!
That...
Dona Santa, can you please tell me...
Have you ever seen the head of the Barbary pirates...
Dragut Reis?

is the Ottoman Turkish strongest and fiercest pirate... Dragut Reis?
What a pity.
This guy wants to fight the fiercest Islam pirate in the Mediterranean, even though she's a girl?
the target of Aciel's revenge for her father...
Is that...
Dragut Reis?
The pirate rumoured to be the strongest in the Mediterranean?
Yes
No. I've never seen him face-to-face...

POURS...
no matter what, when ships can set sail we're leaving.
It's better not to get too close.
That man.
Anyway
Genova's viceroy doesn't want the help of the Knights of St John?
Yeah.
What an eventful evening.
Eh?
What do you mean?
Nonchalantly delivered poisoned wine to the party
That kind of ruthless murderer
even though we have strong instincts
we still didn't sense anything unusual about that man.
His acting was excellent.
I only thought he was a horrible server.
Not only acting.
We didn't discover him.
Because he's used to doing this.


Yes.
That man is brutal though he's young.
He's used to it?
But the plan failed
Ha ha ha
hmph
who told him to deliver the poisoned wine together with the world's best doctor!
He wanted to lead us to our death too!
Leaving that aside...
This guy's a pervert.
Why did the topic suddenly turn into this?
what a boring knight.
Your inability to dance is very disgraceful,
GLARE
I'll teach you! Special training tonight.
Even if he hated Dorta-sama
but to the average Genova citizen gathered there at the estate,
He cruelly poisoned them, without thinking twice and without feeling any doubt
and even casually chatted with us outside the estate.

It failed.
They must work at a hospital!
It must have been the two Knights of St John I sent in.
Ah...!
I was careless.
Really.?
There were only three victims
In charge of gather-ing info
There was a doctor amongst the guest, and started treatment soon after the poison took effect.


I planned to kill them as well.
What a big mistake.
No, the number of sacrifices for the burial is too small
エレナ…
Let's also repay the Knights of St John who interfered.
If we still have the energy.
Let's strike Doria once more tonight
Fortunately the wind is starting to blow away the rain clouds.
Oh.
another ship
Thank you.
The Knights of St John stay in the Inn facing the harbour called "Zachary"
for your reference.

Let's start the second stage of the plan!
Yes!
HWOO...
Right foot forward..
SLIP
Left foot tilted back.
and then turn one time
Carolus name XD! His fist show how relaxed he is! That's why the author put an arrow ?

wheeze
Thanks for that.
One day,
you're already starting to get it!
Your athletic sense is good
This guy...
Makes people ANGRY
is saying stuff like this again!
When you give the lapiz ring to your beloved person,
wouldn't it be embarrassing if you don't know how to dance?
Eh!?

YANK
!!
Lucas. Hey
You're leaving too
If it's a dance to seduce the woman I love,
Wouldn't it be better if it's this passionate?

WOBBLEE
Eh?
Wah!
STAGER...
..uh
It's no good!
I'm falling!
THUD...
A..
Aciel.....
FREEZ...
Are you okay?
Did you get hurt?

No...
I'm going to die...
It is your fault...
I'm....
What?
I'm such an idiot to be tricked by this guy
He He~
Just joking!
Since you protected me, I didn't get hurt at all!
Really?
That's good.
CLANG!!
CLANG!!
CLANG!!
CLANG!!
Alarm?
What?

There...
There's a fire!
It's terrible!
Customers of the inn!
Hu... Hurry up and escape!
The fire's everywhere!
Genova's streets!
Is it that man's doing?

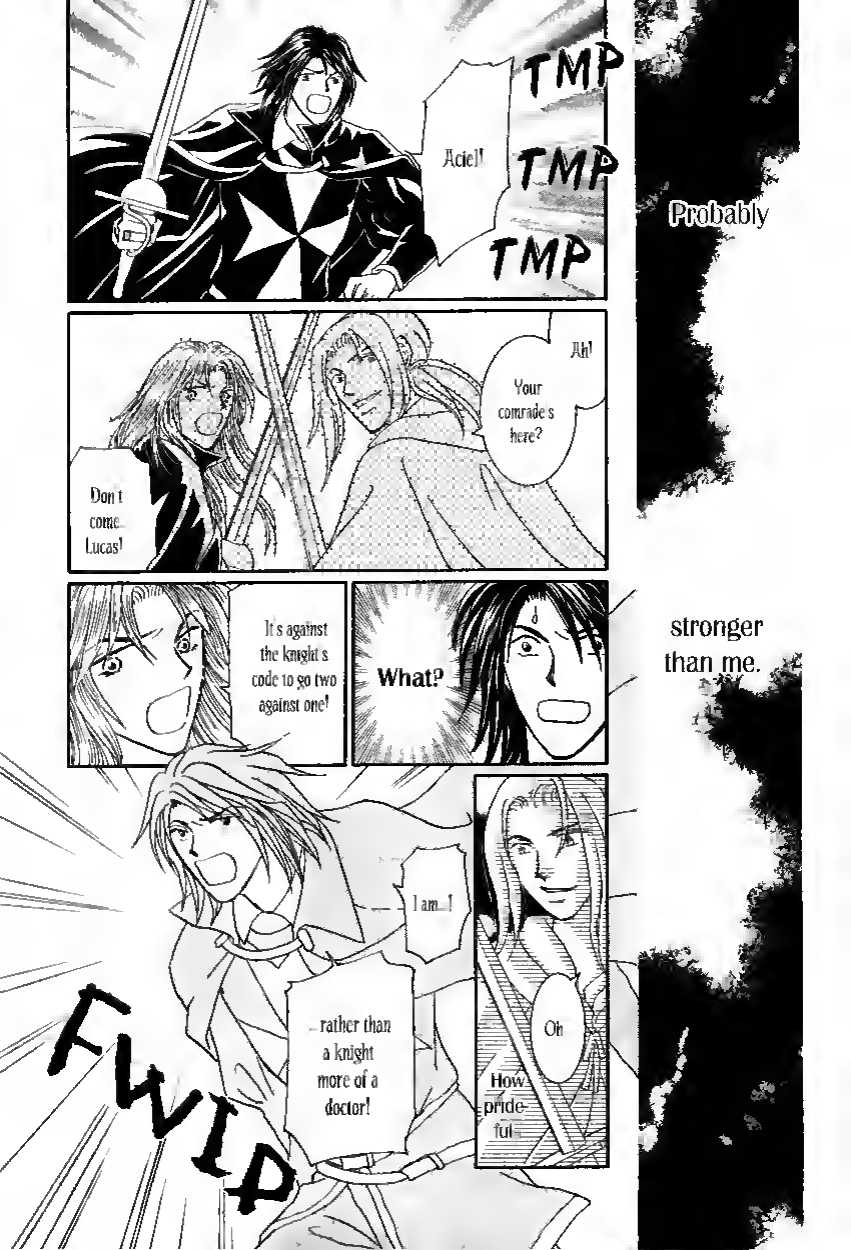
Team Zica Credits: *Zilvere* cleaned. Yes, he does a great job... plus scans stuff. Thank you!! *sun*

RAGE...
You...
You bastard

SFX:FWIP
SFX:FWIP
SFX:CLANG

Aciel!
Aciel!!
There was a metal clash just now...
the sound of swords!!
GRIND...
GRIND...
You.
Who are you...
Why... are you going so far?
Me?
About me?
He's a Pirate!
I'm the older brother of the...
hanged youth...

CLANG
is quite strong...
This man...
BA-
THUMP


TMP
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TMP
Aciel!
Probably
Ah!
Your comrade's here?
Don't come, Lucas!
It's against the knight's code to go two against one!
What?
stronger than me.
I am...!
...rather than a knight more of a doctor!
Oh
How pride-ful
FWIP

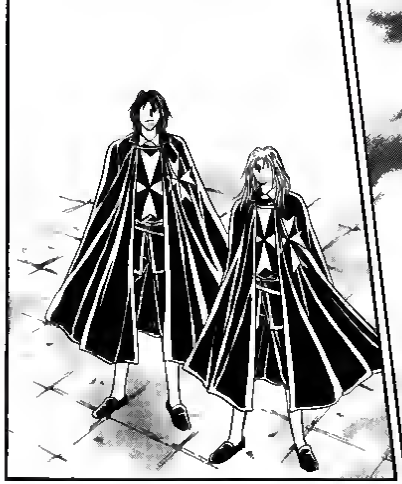
The code of doctors...
is to help people live on!
Is this the guy who interfered with my plan?
Doctor
CLANG

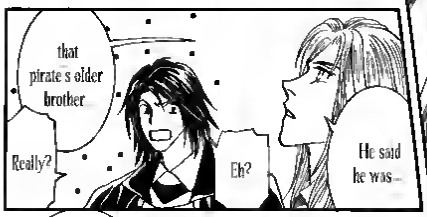
GRIND...
For me to go against the two of them
I'll probably end up dead!
CLONG
CLANG
CLANG
This person's swordplay is not too bad
BURNING...
CRACKLE!
CRACK!
doctor.
The fire's spreading here

Team Zica Credits: *Carola* typesetted and cleaned up the room after people left. they left some uncleaned pages and lots of dust :P

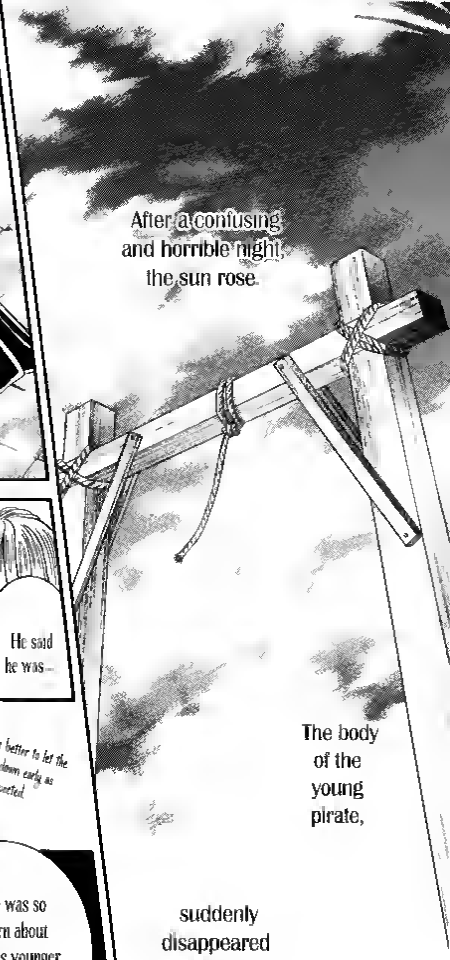
Let's meet at sea!
Next time...
Knight and doctor!
PLOK
FLUT TER...

After that man left,
like heaven's grace,
the wind stopped and it rained.
Though the city of Genova suffered a major disaster,
it escaped the bad luck of being completely destroyed.




that pirate's older brother
Really?
Eh?
He said he was—

That man sees murder to be as normal as breathing.
as I said.
It was better to let the body drown early as expected.
but he was so stubborn about getting his younger brother's body back...


After a confusing and horrible night, the sun rose.
The body of the young pirate,
suddenly disappeared from the gallows in the harbour.

Cruel to enemies,
but...
loyal to his family
That man,
would not submit so easily
I must
become stronger.

Yeah.
You will...
...get stronger. for sure.
by Slan Team.
We are Hot and Sexy!

*Here the author may (?) have used another famous pirates name, but just as a whim. Turgut Reis didn't have a brother that was recorded in History. But if you are in the mood to learn interesting things, google **Piri Reis** You'll get a surprise.

Vice captain.
Captain,
You don't need to hold it.
at times like this, it's better to cry it out
Who
do you think you are talking to?
I am.
Sob..
So.. sob..
Wah..

Short while later, Acriel and everyone,
will learn about the true identity of "that man".
the infamous pirate,
Dragut Reis.
Ah!
I can see it!

Malta Island.

Year 1560,

Dragut Reis' ships

attacks Malta Island's neighbour. Gozo

So following this,

the Knights of St John are about to face a new challenge

◆Umi no Kishidan (4)/End◆

Sure, we'd like some help
Come.
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There was a long journey between Malta Island and Lucas' home-town, Trier.
this is a story about the journey.
I want two rooms!
Why? There's two beds no problem!
One room is enough!
No, two rooms!
I want it!
!
Eh?
!!
Here, the key
..this is the only room left.
this inn filled up all the vacant rooms..
While you were arguing,
WHAT IF I CAN'T CONTROL MYSELF? THAT GUY...
THIS NIGHT WILL BE LONG!
SHE'S CHANGING IN FRONT OF ME, JUST LIKE THAT...
Lucas,
!!
shirush!
You should take off your clothes as well!
RUSTLE...
Lucas,
You should fix your worrisome nature

I don't want you to feel uncomfortable just because we're sharing a room,
don't be shy.
Don't you usually sleep naked?
This guy is a man!
In her mind...
Let me admire it occasionally!
Not to mention, your body is great,!
TAKE IT OFF!
EH?
WHAT'S WITH THE BORING PAJAMAS!
If she doesn't react, how would things go from there...
But!
Should I find a chance to push her down, so she can see how scary men can be?
I can't predict how this guy will react!
SIGH
The journey to Germany was long, and Lucas' nights were also very long
◆Malta Island Night Guard's Diary (4)/END◆

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